

To live is not to live for one's self alone; let us help one another—Menander

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WEATHER FORECAST FOR
FORT WAYNE AND
VICINITY.

PROBABLY SNOW TONIGHT AND SAT-
URDAY; WARMER TONIGHT;
COLDER SATURDAY.

DRY STATE BILL GOES IN

IS PUT AMONG ITS FRIENDS

Drastic Prohibition Measure
Sent to Public Rights
and Franchises.

WOULD TAKE EFFECT
IN SEPTEMBER NEXT

Road Commission Bill is
Also Introduced in Leg-
islature.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 12.—In order that it may be "among its friends" the official state wide prohibition measure, introduced in the senate this morning by Senator Thomas Dorrell, of Greenwood, was referred to the committee on public rights and franchises. This committee consists of Robinson, chairman; Mercer, Metzger, Nejd, Hemphill, Dorrell and Bracken.

It is understood that a majority of this committee is dry and its chairman, Robinson, is outspoken in favor of the bill. Dorrell's request that his measure be assigned to this committee is said to have been the result of his failure to land a place as one of the three democrats nominated for places on the public morals committee to which ordinarily all such measures are assigned.

After receiving the administration's road commission bill in both houses and a number of minor matters being introduced both the house and senate adjourned at noon until 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. Eleven bills were introduced in the senate and 25 in the house.

Dry Bill is Stringent.
The Dorrell measure is a stringent proposal to prohibit the manufacture, sale, gift, advertisement or transportation of intoxicants. It would become effective Sept. 1, 1917, if enacted, and allows ten days thereafter for pharmacists, chemists and hospitals to report intoxicants on hand to the clerks of the circuit courts.

Pharmacists are prohibited from handling intoxicants except on written application from manufacturers or chemists or upon written prescription from physicians. And in order to be allowed this privilege they must give bond to the clerks of the courts, and twice annually file such applications and prescriptions as matters of public record. In event of the failure of local prosecutors to enforce the law it is made the duty of the attorney general to enforce it, the county wherein there is prosecution being held liable for fees covering the cost. Penalties for violation of the law range from a fine of \$50 and an optional imprisonment to a fine of \$500 and mandatory imprisonment for six months or longer.

Road Commission Measure.
Senator Deboyn's roads measure, which has the endorsement of the Goodrich administration and which is approved generally by leading senators on both sides, provides for the appointment of a non-partisan commission of four members, non-salaried, who have authority to appoint

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LEWIS NOT TO BE NAMED AS SLAYER

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 12.—Coroner Knight, who has been looking into the murder of Maizie Colbert, the advertising art model, found beaten and strangled in her apartments here December 30, said today unless more direct evidence was found connecting him with the case he would not instruct a jury at the inquest to render a verdict that Bernard W. Lewis, of Pittsburgh was the slayer. Lewis committed suicide in Atlantic City last week as he was about to be arrested on a technical charge in connection with the case.

Women Wear Grotesque Just to Be Different, Says Woman

Lafayette, Ind., Jan. 12.—"Ninety percent of the money spent for textiles is spent by women and a great deal of it is spent unwisely," Prof. Mary L. Mathews, of Purdue university, said today, speaking before the home economic section of the Purdue short course. She continued: "Women wear the most grotesque costumes simply to be different." The speaker cautioned the women in the audience against dressing to look like a "Christmas tree." Standardized street apparel was recommended.

Medals to the winners among the 400

WILL BE U. S. CITIZEN.

John McCormack, Noted Singer, Applies for Naturalization.

Philadelphia, Jan. 12.—John McCormack, the singer, applied to the federal court here yesterday for American citizenship. In his petition he gave his age as 32 and his occupation as a vocalist. He was born in Athlone, Ireland, and came to this country in 1904.

SILENT AS TO PEACE COURSE

Lansing Refuses to Discuss

Entente Reply or Plans
of Washington.

FUTURE VIEWED
WITH SOBERNESS

Despite Apparent Deadlock

Diplomats Believe Situation Clarified.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Secretary Lansing refused to discuss the entente reply or the plans of this government on the ground that he had not yet read the note with great care. It was stated officially, however, that whether the entente reply will be forwarded to the central powers and the latter's reply forwarded to the entente had not yet been decided and probably will not be for several days, pending a most careful examination of the whole situation.

Briefly officials feel that the allies have stated terms while refusing a conference whereas the Germans suggested a conference without stating their terms. Nevertheless it is felt that the international situation has been decidedly clarified.

The officials obviously view the future with increasing soberness. President Wilson's original statement in his note that neutrality was becoming intolerable and Secretary Lansing's statement that the United States was being drawn to the verge of war were recalled in view of the probability that hostilities are likely to continue. Ambassador Bernstorff's reiterated assurance that Germany will not violate her submarine pledges to this country is held not incompatible with activities that could not be tolerated by this country, but might be conducted on the basis that there is such a divergence of view as to the international law involved.

WILSON STUDIES REPLY.

Entente Rejoinder to Peace Note Given Careful Scrutiny.

Washington, Jan. 12.—President Wilson today began a careful and deliberate examination of the entente's reply to his peace note to determine what opportunity it presents for a further move on his part and in what way one may be accomplished. The entente note will be discussed at the regular meeting of the cabinet and privately between the president and Secretary Lansing.

All quarters agreed that while the entente had made a complete reply to the president's request for a statement of terms, the note seemed to offer no hope for an early end of the war but fortunately still did not close the door upon further effort on the president's part.

Several Courses Open.

Several courses of action lie before the president. Among them is another move to ask Germany to state specific terms as the allies have done. Diplomats say that with replies from both sets of belligerents in hand it will be perfectly legitimate to communicate the answer of one to the other.

The German diplomats here were outspoken in their denunciation of the allied note and their declarations that such terms never would be accepted.

More Severe Than Expected.
Admittedly the note was more severe than even they had been led to expect and they declared the German allies were prepared to fight on.

The next steps by the United States will be chosen by the utmost deliberation and because of the delicate stage which the negotiations are certain to enter from this time it would be no

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HARRY K. THAW'S LATEST PHOTO.



This picture shows graphically the appearance of Harry Thaw, Stanford White's slayer, at the time of the sensational charge that caused him to cut his throat. Thaw would be 45 years old, Feb. 12.

SUFFRAGISTS CANCEL PLANS FOR A PARADE

"Silent Sentinels" Combat
Cold With Bricks and
Hot Water Bottles.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The congressional union for woman's suffrage announced today that plans for a parade March 4, the day preceding the inauguration have been abandoned.

Letters were sent today calling for volunteers so that the number of pickets may be increased gradually during the next seven weeks.

Before taking their stand at the white house gates again today, with their suffrage banners, the women provided themselves with hot bricks and hot water bottles to combat the bitter cold.

The women on vigil yesterday spurned an invitation from the white house to enter and warm themselves.

When President Wilson returned from golf today the silent sentinels stood at salute with right hands raised to their hats. The president smilingly returned the salute, noticing the sentinels for the first time. As the day wore on the sentinels got so cold that they marched up and down in squads with military precision.

AT WORK BEHIND GUARDED DOORS

Rail Brotherhoods Continue
Plans for Action on
Adamson Law.

Chicago, Jan. 12.—With the entrances to the meeting room guarded the conference of the representatives of the four railroad brotherhoods was resumed here today. The conferees representing every railroad in the country, continued the discussion of action of the brotherhoods, contingent upon the opinion of the United States supreme court in the Adamson law case.

J. C. Cobb, general chairman of the men employed on the Canadian Pacific railway, appeared at the meeting, while it was stated he is representing the four brotherhoods of Canada in addition to the men on his own road, no official announcement concerning his presence was made. W. G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, spokesman for the conference, said that any strike talk by "outsiders" was injurious to the workmen. It had been determined previously that no definite action would be taken by the organizations while the interpretation of the Adamson act is in the hands of the supreme court.

600 PERISH IN WARSHIP

Berlin, Jan. 12.—The loss of 600 lives by the destruction of an Italian battleship is reported by the Anzeiger of Basel, Switzerland, according to the Overland Seas News agency.

"The Anzeiger of Basel reports the destruction of the battleship Reina Margherita," says the News agency. "It is confirmed that she was sunk off Avlona, Albania, by a mine or a torpedo. Six hundred out of 830 sailors perished."

SHE ADMITS THEFTS TO SAVE DAUGHTER

Toledo Woman Confesses to
Shoplifting as Stolen
Finery is Found.

Toledo, O., Jan. 12.—City detectives helped a baggage man pack probably \$100 worth of silks and miscellaneous merchandise said to have been stolen from downtown stores into a trunk and returned them to a "confessed kleptomaniac."

Richly dressed and represented by two attorneys, Mrs. Lou Showalter, 42, and her daughter, Mrs. L. Schauffman, faced shoplifting charges in police court.

Mrs. Showalter freed her daughter by taking the blame upon herself. She admitted thefts from Summit street stores. Attorneys for the women asked for suspended sentences.

Officials of the women's store charged her with a theft of two petticoats. Milner charged her with the theft of a shirtwaist; these were the only articles filed, although detectives said they recovered between \$600 and \$800 worth of stolen property. They said no other charges could be filed because the stores could not say at what time the articles had been stolen.

Mrs. Showalter was sentenced to thirty days in the workhouse on one charge and thirty days in the workhouse and fined \$100 and costs on the other charge. The sentences were suspended. The fines were paid.

DID HE TAKE POISON, TOO?

Tablets of Deadly Drug Are
Found in Harry Thaw's
Possession.

WOULD BE SUICIDE
ON WAY TO RECOVERY

Detectives at Bedside to
Await Recovery Now
Indicated.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 12.—Harry K. Thaw, who slashed his throat with a razor and cut an artery in his wrist in an attempt to commit suicide here yesterday, will be able to leave the hospital within two weeks, unless he also swallowed poison tablets, according to statements of his physicians early today.

Several poison tablets, which produce a slow death, were found in his pockets, and if he took any of them it may be twenty-four hours before the symptoms manifest themselves, the doctors say.

He spent a very good night and was resting quietly this morning. Thaw said he was hungry during the night and was given food several times, but efforts of the detectives to get him to talk proved futile beyond the statement that he was glad he had not succeeded in ending his life. Inquiries as to whether he had taken poison met with no response.

Detectives are on guard at Thaw's bedside and a warrant for his arrest is ready to be served the moment he is considered out of danger. The detectives had instructions to see that no one talked to the patient aside from his attendants and that he did not attempt to remove the bandages from his wounds.

Assistant District Attorney Black, of New York, was expected here today to make arrangements to have him removed to New York as soon as possible.

Climax to Search.
Thaw's attempt at self-destruction was the climax to a search for him which began here Tuesday. He is wanted by the New York authorities on charge of kidnapping and assaulting Frederick Gump, Jr., the nineteen year old Kansas City high school youth.

According to a private detective employed by the Thaw family, the slayer of Stanford White told him the Gump charges were an attempt at blackmail and that he was planning to surrender to the New York police rather than be treated like an ordinary prisoner. He had been at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth A. Tacot in West Philadelphia where he was found weak from the loss of blood from his wounds and a blood-stained razor by his side since early Tuesday morning. It had been generally believed that he had left the city and the first intimation the police had of his presence at the West Philadelphia house was when they were notified that he had attempted

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Today's War News Given in Summary

The important Rumanian port of Galatz on the Danube north of Braila is under renewed serious threat from the Teutonic advance, which is again in evidence near the river.

The report from Field Marshal von Mackensen's front in southern Moldavia today shows apparent inactivity in the center in the vicinity of Fokshani, but progress on both flanks. Towards the Danube the Russians have been pressed back further between Braila and Galatz, where the town of Laburda has been taken. On the west further progress has been made by the Austro-German forces along the Moldavian frontier.

There appears from today's German headquarters statement to have been a renewal of heavy fighting on the Somme front north of Amiens. Two attacks by the British are reported, neither of which resulted in net gain for them, although near Beaumont initial successes were won. The British troops which entered the German positions there were driven back by a strong counter-attack, Berlin asserts.

On the northern end of the Russian front the battle is increasing in intensity and scope. The Russians have been attacking both along the Dvina in the Huga region and south of Dvinsk. Berlin reports assaults on the railroad between Vilna Dvinsk, but declares they were repulsed with heavy losses to the Russians. The only specific mention by Berlin of the fighting southwest of Riga is an announcement of minor German attacks launched, the report says, "to ascertain our position" and "to ascertain our position" and "to ascertain our position."

PHILLIPS IS ADVANCED.

Becomes Assistant Secretary of State, Succeeding Osborne.

Washington, Jan. 12.—William Phillips, third assistant secretary of state, was nominated today as assistant secretary of state to succeed John E. Osborne, who recently resigned. Breckinridge Long, a St. Louis lawyer, was nominated as third assistant secretary of state.

8,292 IN THE CITY SCHOOLS

Total Enrollment is Now
Largest in History of
Fort Wayne.

GAIN 507 AT END
OF FOUR MONTHS

Increase Over Last Year's

Showing is Regarded as
Remarkable.

Statistics compiled by the secretary in the office of Prof. Justin N. Study, city superintendent of Fort Wayne schools, show that at the end of the fourth month of the present school year there is a total enrollment of 507 in excess of last year's showing at the corresponding time.

The fourth month of school work closed Friday, January 5, and all but one school has reported the number of scholars on roll. The increase in number of scholars is sufficient to fill another twelve-room school building, states Prof. Study. At the present time there are 8,292 children in the public schools of Fort Wayne.

The large increase over the enrollment of last year is remarkable, state school officials, and is one of the many proofs that the population of the Summit City has grown to such a size that it will soon require six numbers to write it.

Harmar School Leads.
During the fourth month of school there were 150 accessions to the schools in the city. The Harmar school led all other schools in the number of new scholars. There were twenty-one new ones admitted. The colony of children in this school building has increased to such an extent that at the beginning of the new semester in February a new room will have to be fitted up and a new teacher secured.

At the beginning of the sixth month of school, which will also mark the beginning of a new semester in the school year, over two hundred new scholars are expected to seek admission in the city schools. Prof. Study states, however, that the number of new scholars will depend largely on the weather. It has been his experience that many parents keep their children at home another half year on account of the cold.

Preparations are being made at the Fort Wayne High and Manual Training school to accommodate over a

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AIRPLANES, BUT NOT ZEPPELINS AT PARIS

Paris, Jan. 12.—The Zeppelin alarm which was sounded here last night was, as it turned out, due not to Zeppelins, but to airplanes. As soon as the warning was received the city was plunged into darkness and the street cars stopped running. There was little excitement and few Parisians had curiosity to leave their firesides to see what was happening.

Republican Taunts May Bring the Leak Inquiry

Washington, Jan. 12.—Taunted by republicans who charged they did not dare investigate further the charges of a stock market leak on President Wilson's peace note, the house democrats today abandoned their plans for closing the inquiry and recommitted the Wood resolution to the rules committee for further action without a vote.

After Representative Cantor, of Kentucky, a democrat, dissenting from the views of his colleagues, had requested that the rules committee recall Thomas W. Lawson, chairman of the Wood "leak" resolution be recommitted and that the committee be directed to cite Lawson for contempt if he continued to refuse to answer questions. The sudden turn in the situation precipitated a pavilion squabble with the prospect that the resolution would be recalled.

FIREMEN FEAR MORE BLASTS

Cautiously Approach Ruined
Ammunition Plant at
Kingsland, N. J.

NO REPORT AS YET
ON LOSS OF LIFE

Exploding Shells Bombard
Wide Area of Country
During Blaze.

New York, Jan. 12.—The eighty-acre ammunition plant of the Canadian Car and Foundry company near Kingsland, N. J., is a scarred and blackened ruin today, swept by flames and ploughed by bursting shells. The fire that started there late yesterday afternoon still smoldered in spots, but the firemen, who stood helpless at a safe distance last night watching the explosion of half a million of three and six-inch shells, closed in on the ruins cautiously.

There have been no official reports of loss of life and if all of the 1,400 employees of the plant escaped their safety is due probably to the fact that a short time intervened between the discovery of the fire and the moment when the flames reached the stored ammunition.

Four Millions Loss.
The loss, estimated at more than \$4,000,000, is accounted for almost entirely by the destruction of shells which the company loads at this plant for the Russian government. The rectangular enclosure contains between forty and fifty buildings, but these were of flimsy construction and it is said that the company intended to abandon them in a short time when it finished its present contract.

More than 1,000 persons who fled from their homes surrounding the plant to escape the rain of projectiles were sheltered and fed last night by the police and charity officials of neighboring towns. Some time may elapse before it is known whether any of the fugitives lost their lives in the Hackensack marshes through which many of them plunged in a blind rush for safety.

The flames did not reach the company's magazines in which were stored trinitrotoluene, picric acid and black powder, used in charging the shells. These magazines are situated in a remote quarter of the enclosure and carefully protected.

Subjected to Bombardment.
Although the country immediately surrounding the plant was subjected all night to terrific bombardment the damage was not as great as had been feared, owing to the fact that the shells were not equipped with detonating fuses until they reached Russia. For this reason the projectiles came

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FARMERS TO MEET AT WOODBURN THURSDAY

A farmers' institute at Woodburn will be held January 15 and 16, in Harmony hall. A. J. Hutchins, county agent, is on the program for a talk on "Farm Management" at 1:30 p. m. on the first day of the institute. E. C. Martindale is one of the instructors. His subjects are: "An Ear of Corn, and How to Grow It," "The Farmer's Cow and His Calf," "The Hog," "Hickory" and "The Drainage." Mrs. C. A. Ogg will read the women's department of the institute and give several addresses. Levi Klopstein is chairman of the contest committee of the corn show which is to be held in connection with the institute. J. R. Yaggy is chairman and L. S. Husted, general secretary of the institute.

POUND STEADILY AWAY AT THE GERMAN LINES

Through Rain, Mist, Fog and
Deep Mud Struggle
Goes Forward.

With the British Armies in France, Jan. 11.—Through rain, mist, fog and deep mud the British army is continuing day by day to pound the German line. Although there has been no distinctly spectacular action recently, daily and nightly trench raids and the drumming of the artillery has continued. These operations have yielded a constant inflow of prisoners and have kept the casualty lists growing. According to stories told by prisoners the British tactics have harassed the German troops almost beyond endurance. The last week has witnessed some typical so-called minor operations, culminating with an attack before dawn today north of Beaumont-Hamel. This action brought the total of prisoners taken in this area in the last three days to 300 and placed in British hands some important sections of trenches. On Tuesday night the British attacked a desired section of the German lines which was taken with a yield of 140 prisoners. Red rockets from the German trenches flashed signals for aid to the defending Germans in the rear, but the counter barrage failed to check the advance. The German gunnery in this instance was described by the attacking officers as weak and erratic. The British soldiers encountered little resistance from the terrible shell fire in the dug-outs and communicating trenches. The prisoners taken in this raid had been on the front line for a long while and appeared very much dejected. As soon as the captured trenches had been cleared of the last hostile fighter squads of engineers were sent in to consolidate and repair the new positions and before night the regular booming of the big guns told that the battle had once more settled down into its customary routine.

100 EXPECTED AT I.

U. ALUMNI BANQUET

As a part of a state-wide movement in celebration of the founding of the Indiana university, the alumni of the university in this city will banquet at the Wayne hotel Friday evening, where accommodations have been made for 100 people. A program of interest will be rendered. The main feature on the program is the address to be given by Dr. A. L. Foley, a world-famous scientist and head of the department of physics at the university.

JUAREZ GARRISON IS BACK FROM CHIHUAHUA

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 12.—A part of the Juarez garrison, consisting of between two and three hundred men, returned to Juarez today from Chihuahua City. On the same train were a large number of civilians, mostly Mexicans, who said that Chihuahua City was quiet when they left and no fears were entertained of an attack by Villa forces. They said no doubt was felt that Gen. Murguia's victory at Jimenez was as great as has been officially claimed, but nothing was known of Villa's present movements. The passengers were thirty hours in making the trip and suffered severely from the cold as many of them rode on top of box cars.

WILL HEAR IT BY PHONE.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Gatherings in all parts of the country may be able to listen to President Wilson's inaugural address on the morning of March 4th by long distance telephone. The local inaugurating committee today took up with telephone companies the feasibility of such an arrangement and it was pronounced quite possible.

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NATION'S FOOD SUPPLY FAILS TO KEEP PACE

Does Not Increase in Proportion to Population in America.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The nation's food supply has not kept pace with the growth in population, figures furnished today by the department of agriculture showed. The statistics cover the last sixteen years during which the population has grown about 33 per cent and disclosed that in foods constituting about 75 per cent of the country's diet there has been a decline in per capita production.

Officials believe that despite this showing there is no danger of food shortage.

Secretary Houston in a statement today, said: "With all the agencies now available for producing agriculture there is profound ground for optimism as to the ability of the nation not only to supply itself with food but increasingly to meet the needs of the world."

The output of meat and dairy products which furnish 67 per cent of the food that goes on the American table fell from 248.2 pounds for each person in 1899 to 219.6 in 1915. Cereals which supply 31 per cent, declined from 43.9 bushels to 40.2; fish fell from 12.5 to 11.6 in 1908 with no figures given for 1915. Potatoes remained at about the same ratio of production but sweet potatoes increased about fifty per cent per capita. Poultry products made a slight gain. Production and consumption of fruit and vegetables has increased rapidly with the last few years and they constitute a larger and more important part of the permanent diet.

GRAPE-GROWERS TAKE WALLOP AT SALOON

San Francisco, Jan. 12.—Liquor dealers and prohibitionists were discussing today the significance of a resolution adopted by the California Grape association opposing saloons, as at present conducted, and favoring their complete reform or entire abolition.

"This association," the resolutions set forth, "is not wedded to the American saloon. It believes the evils of the present system could be practically exterminated if the people would awaken from their provincialism and follow the example of continental Europe."

"We have contributed our last dollar to opposing anti-liquor fights of the old kind," said H. F. Stoll, secretary of the association.

DRIVEN FROM SCHOOL BY COST OF LIVING

Chicago, Jan. 12.—The high cost of living is causing children in increasing numbers to leave the Chicago schools to seek employment, William L. Bodine, of the compulsory education department, reported to John L. Shoop, superintendent of schools, today. The report added that many of the children are from homes where the income is ordinarily less than necessary for the children to work. Mr. Bodine said that in the period between May 1, 1916, and Dec. 31, 1916, work permits were issued to 7,320 children between the ages of 14 and 16, 4,617 being for boys and 2,703 for girls. The majority received \$5 a week or less for the work they engaged, the report said.

SORORITY HOUSE FIRE DRIVES OUT 20 GIRLS

Bloomington, Ind., Jan. 12.—About twenty girls who roomed at the sorority house of the Independent Literary society were driven out into the cold yesterday when the building caught fire from the furnace. Many of the girls saved their personal belongings by throwing their trunks out of the windows in the upper part of the building, and six or seven had to leave the building from a veranda, on the roof, and descended on the firemen's ladders.

For two hours the fire department poured water into the building, before the blaze was conquered. The loss on the household effects amounted to \$500 or more, with no insurance. Willis Akin, owner of the building, said his loss, which was principally from water and smoke damage, was covered by insurance. The sorority had to obtain another house after the fire.

MRS. PERFECT DEAD.

Mother of Arthur H. and Harry Perfect Passes Away.

Mrs. Lucy Jane Perfect, mother of Arthur H. and Harry A. Perfect, of the Perfect wholesale grocery firm of this city, passed away, Thursday, at her home in Huntington. She had been ill for some time.

Mrs. Perfect was born near Battle Creek, Mich., April 7, 1840, and was united in marriage to Mr. Perfect at Columbus, Ind., December 22, 1879. She is survived by three sons, T. Guy Perfect, of Huntington, and Arthur H. and Harry A. Perfect, of this city, and one sister, Miss Oro Perfect, of Huntington.

Interment Saturday afternoon at Huntington. Burial private. Friends will kindly omit flowers.

PLEDGE 2,000 POSITIONS.

Chicago Employers Open Jobs for Men Over 45 Years Old.

Chicago, Jan. 12.—Pledges of positions for 2,000 men more than 45 years old "to be fulfilled at the earliest possible moment" have been made by members of the Employers' Association of Chicago, it was announced today. The organization, composed of representative business men, had been interested in a movement sponsored by a committee of other business men to remove the prejudice against employing men more than 45 years old.

JUDGE LANDIS GETS OUT OF LABOR CASES

Chicago Federal Jurist Indulges in Some Caustic Comment.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 12.—Judge Landis yesterday granted a change of venue to Judge Carpenter in the labor cases, which were to have been tried before him on January 22.

In giving an order directing the transfer of the cases, the court made it clear that he believed he had been the victim of a frame-up.

An affidavit was presented by Attorney E. R. Litzinger, in behalf of Michael Boyle, former business agent of the Electrical Workers' union. The statement set forth that Boyle had been told by George Anderson, an interior marble worker, that he (Anderson) had talked with Judge Landis in the latter's chambers and that the court had remarked that all of the electrical workers ought to be in jail.

Anderson was called to the bar by the court. He refrained from directly answering a number of questions regarding the alleged conversation with the judge. Finally the court turned to Litzinger.

Parallel in Thaw Case.

"The motion is granted," he said. "The mistake I made was in not taking a hickory club to Anderson or having a stenographer present when he came to see me. I want to know how he came to see me. I want co-operation from you in finding out who sent him. Plainly he was fed to me."

"The question isn't whether I said that all of these fellows ought to be in jail. Of course I didn't. The question is whether Boyle believes I said it. The same question came out in the Thaw case. The question was not whether Stanford White had ruined the girl, but whether she had told Thaw that he had."

"Anderson, don't you ever come near me again. The next time I talk to anyone I'll have a shorthand reporter in the room with me. I'll take no more chances on any of you people."

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EXHIBITORS ARE MORE NUMEROUS THIS YEAR

Poultry Breeders Seem to Like Fort Wayne—Show Opens Next Week.

The big poultry show opens next week Wednesday for a five day run. The promoters state that the number of exhibitors represented this year is far in excess of that of any former year.

President W. D. Holterman and Secretary J. C. Howenstein assign this condition to the fact of the growing reputation of Fort Wayne as a poultry center. These exhibitors are coming from Kentucky, Illinois, Michigan, Ohio, and all portions of Indiana. The Fort Wayne men are enthusiasts who always treat the exhibitors as good fellows should, with the result that the local men have no trouble in securing "return engagements." This year's show promises to eclipse all other events of a similar character ever held here. It is being planned to provide many features of general interest, especially to the women and children.

FOUND IN AUSTRALIA.

Long-Missing Shipment of Envelopes for New York Located.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Treasury department officials who had sought vainly for more than three months to locate 20,000 franked envelopes sent to the collector of customs at New York from the contractor at Richmond, Va., were notified today that they had been found at Adelaide, Australia. Meantime the railroad company despatching of finding the shipment had paid the government the value of the envelopes. Notification that they had been located came from a New York banker.

COLUMBIA SATURDAY SPECIAL

Mixed nut glace, special price 25c; regular price 40c. COLUMBIA CANDY KITCHEN.

WOULD PROVIDE \$2 A WEEK.

Pensions for Aged American Citizens Proposed by Sherwood.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Every American citizen over 65 who is incapable of manual labor and whose annual income is less than \$200 would get a pension of \$2 a week under a bill before the house pension committee today. Representative Sherwood, of Ohio, is author of the bill.

BUY OF THE OLD RELIABLE

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The timber and other lands owned by the United States are a source of profit which is growing yearly.

SMOKING OF CIGARETTE MAY SOON MEAN ARREST.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Jan. 12.—Smoking of a cigarette in Oklahoma will make the smoker liable to arrest, it is in prospect, if a bill in the house is passed. The bill would make it unlawful to offer for sale or give away cigarettes.

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Our Great Removal Sale is without doubt, one of the most remarkable money-saving opportunities that we have ever offered. We prepared early for the largest volume of business in the history of the store. We have been selling the finest clothing from ten to twenty per cent, under other stores and during this sale you can buy it for ten to thirty per cent, under this price. You couldn't make a better investment than some of this fine clothing. This is one of a thousand bargains:

Silk Lined Overcoats

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PATTERSON-FLETCHER CO.

The Store That Does Things—After February 1st at the Corner of Wayne and Harrison

DID HE TAKE POISON TOO?

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suicide. He had been introduced at the Taoot home as "Mr. West."

Suggested by Lewis' Deed?

Friends of Thaw here advance the theory that his attempt to end his life may have suggested itself to him through the suicide at Atlantic City of Bernard Lewis, who was about to be arrested in connection with the murder of Maizie Colbert, the Philadelphia artists' model. During the investigation of this case Thaw was recognized by newspaper men in the corridor in front of the district attorney's office where a number of witnesses were being questioned. He appeared anxious to learn the details of the case and readily consented to an interview in which he expressed the opinion that the police had not proved conclusively that Lewis had killed the girl as they claim. "The suicide of a person wanted by the police is not necessarily a confession of guilt," Thaw is quoted as having said.

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IS PUT AMONG ITS FRIENDS

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an engineer and other necessary employees, all to be under the merit system of employment, to lay out and maintain main market highways and continuous and connecting roads. Revenue for the purpose is provided in a proposed annual tax of five cents on the \$100 of property valuation, the same inheritance tax, the petroleum oil fees and state highway fund as now collected.

Other Bills Introduced.

Senator Nejd presented a measure giving authority to cities having paid fire departments to establish and maintain a firemen's pension fund by assessing all fire insurance premiums collected by insurance companies not chartered in Indiana, in a sum not to exceed 2 per cent, per annum.

Senator English introduced a bill to establish a non-partisan forestry commission consisting of five members who are to be permitted to employ a state forester at a cost not to exceed \$2,400 per annum.

Senator McCray introduced a measure to enable the city of Indianapolis to establish a terminal market and storage. Other important measures destruction of surface land in mining. Langley to abolish the office of township assessor, transferring his duties to the township trustee. Nagley—fixing the venue in motor collision damage cases in county where the collision takes place.

In the House.

The prohibition, constitutional convention and woman's suffrage bills were presented in the house this morning. Representative Wright of Randolph; Representative McGonagle, of Muncie, and Representative Aldridge, of Anderson, introduced the measures in the order named.

The constitutional bill was referred to the ways and means committee of which Mr. McGonagle is chairman, the suffrage bill to judiciary B, and the prohibition bill to the public morals committee.

The temperance folks back home are still bombarding the house with petitions for the passage of the prohibition bill. Petitions of this character were presented by Representative Eikenberry of Carroll, and Representative Simmons, of Henry county.

The highway commission bill, which is

said to be backed by the governor and the goods roads associations through the state, was introduced by Representative Duffy, of Indianapolis. The house appears to be divided into two camps upon this measure. One favors the centralizing of authority in the commission, the other is determined to keep as much power as possible in the hands of the counties throughout the state. The Duffy bill has been changed so as to compromise these conflicting views.

Inheritance Tax Change.

An important change is proposed in the present inheritance tax law in a bill by Representative Myers, of Hamilton. The bill raises the present exemption two and a half times.

Representative Kreis, of Huntington, introduced a measure prohibiting minors from entering pool rooms and other gaming or amusement resorts. The administration measures, repealing the present oil inspection law, abolishing the legal counsel of the utilities commission, reducing the quartermaster's salary, strengthening the impeachment statute, also made their appearance in the house this morning.

Lines Drawn Closer.

Although there is no great stir in the state house corridors it is increasingly apparent that the lines are being drawn closer with each succeeding day. Lieut. Gov. Bush yesterday took official cognizance of the interests when he gave notice that only accredited newspaper men and employees of the senate would have the privilege of the floor.

"I recognize that many outsiders might have a perfectly legitimate object in coming here," said Lieut. Gov. Bush, "but I want it understood that they seek any special advantages not granted the general public."

Representative Westfall, of Vincennes, sent a bill which would require the licensing of poultry dealers and the keeping of a record by them showing the amount and kind of poultry purchased each day and from whom.

Representative Williams, of Boonville, presented a bill simplifying the present fee and salary law by authorizing the county commissioners in each county of the state to fix the salaries of county officers.

FIREMEN FEAR MORE BLASTS

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down like solid shots and did not explode.

Fire was first observed in a room where workmen were leaning the cases of brass shells. It is believed the flames burst out from a tub of alcohol ignited by a piece of glowing insulation from an electric wire on the ceiling. The flames spread to a car loaded with trinitrotoluol.

After the first few minutes the employees realized that the fire could not be checked and fled for their lives.

Phone Operator Heroine.

The heroine of the fire is a telephone switch board operator whose position was in sight of the spot where the flames first appeared. The girl stuck to her post until she had sent a warning over the wire to the various buildings scattered through the plant. As she plugged in for the last call projectiles were descending through the roof of the building where she sat.

The police today issued a warning that thousands of the loaded shells had fallen within a radius of four miles of the fire. It is feared that many of the spectators picked these up as souvenirs and carried them home. Such persons were urged to handle them carefully for fear of explosions. The New York police were directed to search for shells which might have been brought to this city.

Enter Desolate Village.

The hundreds of families which fled from Kingsland began returning to

their homes this morning. They entered a desolate village. Many of the houses were so shell riddled that they were not tenable. The police authorities lifted the dead line they had thrown around the residence section in an effort to prevent looting, and assisted the returning townsmen in putting their households in order. Some of the dwellings appear ruined beyond repair. Many of those who ran for safety spent the night huddled uncomfortably in churches and schools.

The shops of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad in the vicinity of the munition plant, were badly damaged. Shells rained into them, ruining machinery and equipment.

SILENT AS TO PEACE COURSE

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surprise if they were conducted entirely in secret, without publication of the exchanges.

FRENCH PRESS APPROVES IT.

Paris Newspapers Commend Allies' Reply to Wilson.

Paris, Jan. 12.—The morning papers are unanimous in their approval of the reply of the allies to President Wilson's note, the only difference being in the terms of expression. Alfred Capus, editor of the Figaro, says: "The principal value of the note is the clear and solemn declaration of the allies as to their objects in pursuing the war. It is the first time they have been thus explicit and their full moral worth, given to them by their simple enumeration, forces upon the mind the conviction of their necessity. Either they will be fully attained or Germany will be a continual menace to Europe and, upon the first opportunity, will again turn it into a field of carnage. Our enemies are now in possession of our true aims. They can compare them with their own and deduce therefrom the degree of our resistance and our implacable resolve to vanquish them."

Stephen Pichon, writing in the Petit Journal, says: "Germany refuses to reveal her aims except in conference, where she would work her usual treachery and divide in turn one against another the countries whose territory she violated and is now dismembering. The allies state clearly the objects they desire to obtain, which are those of all men and nations who desire to see emerge from the horrible crisis in which thousands are perishing, an era of peace, work and justice. In the United States they will distinguish between the two conceptions, the two methods and President Wilson, jurist, but also advocate of human ideals, will have no difficulty in making up his mind."

"We have spoken for the world," says the Petit Parisien, "for the entire peoples, for their adversaries and also for neutrals. President Wilson, whose fine sense of justice is known, cannot fail to be struck by the truthfulness of the document, by our eagerness to meet his views and by the proofs we have accumulated of German violence. The special note addressed to him by Belgium, so dignified and so calm, will confirm our judgment which his conscience has already pronounced. It is now plainly shown that the entente has nothing to hide. Will our adversaries be equally frank?"

The Matin calls the note a new charter whereby the allies seek to create a stable and definite regime under which all people, great and small, can prosper in peace. "There is in the reply," says this paper, "neither boasting nor a misunderstanding of the present military situation. The firm language used by the allies has been inspired in them by a certainty, founded on a knowledge of their power and the losses of their adversaries, that the objects they set themselves to gain will be attained."

ENGLISH PRESS COMMENT.

Manchester Guardian Calls it Boldly Conceived Statement.

London, Jan. 12.—The Manchester Guardian says the reply of the allies to President Wilson was received too late for extended comment, but that it believes the document is "a boldly conceived statement of the position of the allies which goes a long way toward satisfying President Wilson's request for specific information as to the objects for which they are persisting in the war. In this respect the Guardian says the note is conceived in a wholly different spirit from Germany's reply. It believes the reference to the right of all peoples, small as well as great, to security for free economic development, refers especially to 'the vital need of Russia for free use of the passage to the Mediterranean through the Dardanelles, as well as the corresponding need of Serbia, Montenegro and Greece to the Baltic. This paper sees the breaking up of the Turkish empire in asking the removal of the Turkish government from Europe. The article concludes: 'The allies and their aims. They are per-

haps the maximum rather than minimum terms. But the allies are careful to state that the ruin or political destruction of the Germanic powers forms no part of their objects, which is as it should be. One thing we miss and that is a clear statement that the look forward to the American proposal of a league to enforce peace as an essential part of the guarantee for the future, which is to be included in the conditions of peace, but this may be implied and we trust it is intended."

The Liverpool Post expresses the hope that every means will be employed to circulate the reply of the allies throughout the breadth and length of the United States, and continues: "There ought to be no possibility of any American citizen not being possessed of complete and convincing presentation of the allies' case and their aims in the war, which they did not seek, but which they mean to carry through to the only conclusion which can ensure for the future universal recognition of those principles of liberty, justice and inviolable fidelity to international obligation which, as President Wilson is reminded, have never ceased to inspire the action of the United States."

8,292 IN THE CITY SCHOOLS

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hundred more scholars at the beginning of the new semester.

List of Books.

Professor Study announces that he will give out next week the list of books which will be needed in the school. Petitions have been made by mothers asking that lists of new school text books be announced long before the opening of school in order to give the children an opportunity to supply themselves with the necessary text books. The matter was first urged by the Fort Wayne Mothers' club.

Survey Called Off.

The contemplated industrial survey of Fort Wayne has been called off. The reason is that the question of conducting industrial surveys in Indiana would be a large expense and therefore the state board decided that the idea should be dispensed with, at least at the present time.

Will Give Two Lectures.

Dr. William Kilpatrick, head of one of the departments in Columbia university, will give two lectures in Fort Wayne on the afternoons of February 2 and 3. The first lecture will be given Friday afternoon, February 2, in the high school auditorium to all public school teachers of the city. On Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock he will speak at the Anthony hotel under the joint auspices of the Graded Teachers' association and the educational department of the Women's Club league.

Cards to Be Given Out.

Promotion cards will be given out to the children on Friday morning, February 2, at 11 o'clock at their respective school buildings. The new semester will begin the following Monday morning.

CAN WEAR ARMY UNIFORM.

Members of Governor's Staffs Not Forbidden Under Law.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Secretary Baker has decided not to construe the national defense act so as to prohibit members of the staffs of governors from wearing the regular army uniform.

The decision was announced today in a letter to Gov. McCall, of Massachusetts, one of the many state executives who have asked for a ruling on the subject.

TOO MUCH MOTOR BUSINESS.

Must Use Horses and Mules, Orders General Funston.

San Antonio, Texas, Jan. 12.—Troops on duty in the southern department have abused motor transportation by calling on trucks for a variety of uses and largely ignoring horse-drawn transportation available for most work. Gen. Frederick Funston declared today. The general issued an order providing that all serviceable horses and mules must be exercised daily—and that means harnessing them and hitching them to wagons and using them for transportation work to be done in the many commands.

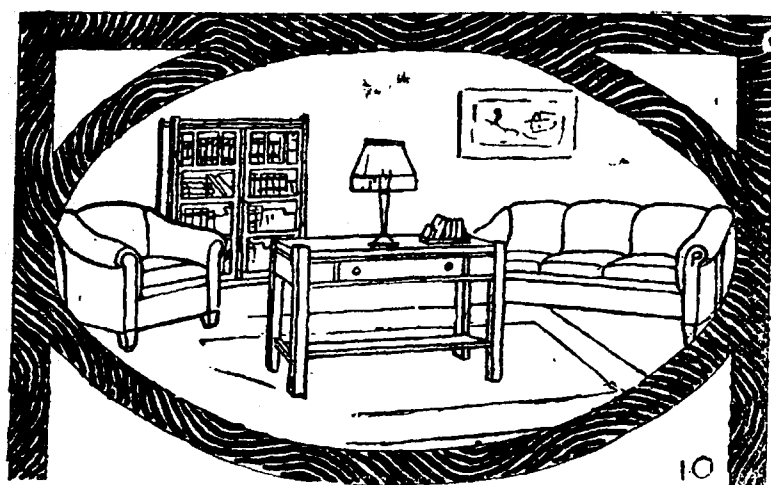
NOW THINK IT SUICIDE.

American Soldier's Death Believed Self-Inflicted.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Corporal John A. Stewart, Company C, Ninth Infantry, whose body was found on the Mexican side of the river near Laredo two days ago, is believed by American army officers on the border to have committed suicide. His throat was cut. In his pockets was \$10, according to a report to the war department from the commanding officer at Laredo. Efforts to get possession of the body are being made.

SENTINEL WANTS ADS. ALWAYS GET RESULTS

A. C. Muntzinger Furniture Co. MID WINTER SALE



Tomorrow morning marks the beginning of our Mid-Winter Furniture Sale.

Our inventory shows that we have thousands of dollars of surplus stock, which must be cleared from our floors to make way for incoming merchandise.

In this assortment, you will find hosts of splendid values in big easy chairs, writing desks, side-boards, davenports, kitchen cabinets, rugs and linoleums; in fact, everything and anything you may need, all of which will be sold at prices which mean big profits to you.

We can't begin to tell you of all the good things we have to offer but if you want a chance at our choicest selections, come down early as our best pieces are bound to be snapped up quickly.

Every article on our floors will be marked with a special sale tag. Also with this sale tag will be the original selling price tag by which you can compare for yourself that we haven't adjusted the original tags so as to form our SALE prices. Sales are confusing. So as not to mislead you we positively will not remove any tag. Goods are not being shipped in for sale purposes or are we removing any article from our floors. We are in business to stay.

1802-1806 CALHOUN ST.

CONVOY NEWS.

Convoy, Ohio, Jan. 12.—Mrs. Lena Carpenter Paxton died Tuesday morning at the age of 18 years at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Carpenter, on West Tully street. Surviving besides the husband are her parents and the following sisters: Mrs. Ada Hart, Miss Mary Carpenter, Ida Carpenter, Marguerite Carpenter and Lorenza Carpenter.

The Methodist Sunday school has chosen the following officers for the year 1917: Superintendent, D. W. Long; assistant, Robert Cleveland; secretary, Katie Larr; assistant, Leah Moore; treasurer, John Stewart; pianist, Mrs. Bert Stapleton; assistant, Cleo Blaney; chorister, Mary Mollenkopf. Miss Mabel Brittenburg has returned to West Virginia, where she is teaching music, after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brittenburg.

Floyd Mollenkopf returned to Fort Wayne, after spending two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mollenkopf, on South Main street. Fred Reed suffered a stroke of

paralysis at his home on Monday evening.

Funeral services for Jacob Buechner, of Harrison township, were held Wednesday morning from the German Lutheran church, south of town. Rev. Zoch officiated. Interment was made in the cemetery at the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bauer were Fort Wayne visitors Tuesday.

Gottlieb Dowler was in Van Wert Tuesday on business. Mrs. Ray Stuckey was hostess to the "Laf-a-lot" club Thursday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. J. Barricks, who have been visiting Mrs. Melchior on North Main street for several weeks, left for Decatur en route to their home in Six Lakes, Mich.

A preparation of solidified glue, which can be used instead of rubber for many purposes has been invented by a German scientist.

A most heavily loaded train recently was established by a Russian railroad on which an American locomotive hauled a train 2,800 feet long, with a load of 4,424 tons.

THE DRINKING OF WATER

(By M. C. LUCAS, M. D.)

The general conclusions of the latest medical scientists prove that drinking of plenty of pure water both between meals and with one's meals is beneficial to health. It has also been proven by means of the X-rays and actual tests upon many healthy young men that the drinking of water with meals is not harmful to digestion. Therefore if you want to keep healthy drink plenty of pure water (not ice water). If you ever suffer from backache, lumbago, rheumatism or any of the symptoms of kidney trouble—such as deep colored urine, sediment in urine, getting out of bed at night frequently and other troublesome effects, take a little Anuric before meals. These Anuric tablets can be obtained at almost any drug store in this country.

American men and women must guard constantly against kidney trouble, because to eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with uric acid which the kidneys strive

to filter out, they weaken from overwork, become sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead, when your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night, when you suffer with sick headache or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, ask your druggist for Anuric. Because of uric acid in over-abundance in the system, backache, pains here and there, rheumatism, gout, gravel, neuralgia and sciatica result. Anuric is more potent than lithia, and consequently you need no longer fear muscular or articular rheumatism or gout, or many other diseases which are dependent on an accumulation of uric acid within the body.—Advertisement.

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INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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LESSON FOR JANUARY 14

JOHN THE BAPTIST AND JESUS.

LESSON TEXT—John 1:19-24.
GOLDEN TEXT—Behold, the lamb of God that taketh away the sin of the world.—John 1:29.

John began his public ministry in the summer of A. D. 26 and the baptism of Jesus probably took place in January, A. D. 27. The delegation from Jerusalem to interview John must have appeared along toward the latter part of February.

I. John the Witness (vv. 15-18). John's ministry created great excitement. The people were in expectancy. All classes were reasoning as to who this strange but marvelously powerful man might be. Some thought perhaps he was the Christ (Luke 3:15). To settle this question a committee was sent to Jerusalem to investigate. Malachi, the prophet, had suggested the coming of Elijah (Mal. 4:5) before the Messiah should come, and another prophecy indicated that the prophet should be like unto Moses (Deut. 18:16-18). John freely confesses to this delegation that he is not the Christ nor Elijah nor the prophet predicted by Moses. How foolish and silly are those modern ones who profess to be the messenger of the covenant or some other fanciful title, indicating the return of the witness which is to precede the coming of Christ. John exercises humility in the way he states his real position though he does apply to himself the prophecy of Isaiah (Isa. 40:3-5) which sets forth what his mission was to be. A voice can be heard but not seen. With our bodily eyes we never see a spirit. No man ever saw the soul of his nearest friend. We do see God, however, in his works, in his marvelous deliverances and his guidance of the world and his answers to prayer.

II. John the Baptizer (vv. 19-29). As John had denied that he was the Christ or Elijah, the priests and Levites made bold to question his authority at a later time (Matt. 21:23), and still later the authority of the apostles and the priests (Acts 5:28). John answers them with another display of his humility. His baptism in water was nothing to the baptism of the coming one (See Matt. 3:11; Acts 1:5). Though Christ was in their midst, they were blind and did not recognize him: (See vv. 10, 11; ch. 8:19; 16:3). John's baptism of repentance denotes a baptism which a penitent submitted to that he might receive the pledge and assurance that his sins were forgiven. Baptism meant the cleansing of the people from past sins that they might be fitted for entrance into the kingdom. Baptism is not conversion. It is a witnessing and a symbol of a spiritual truth that we are dead unto sin, and have risen to newness of life (Rom. 6:3-5). Like John, our voice must be not only that of humility but it must be really a voice with a message from God, one that sounds an unmistakable note, one that can be heard wherever we go, one that will make men happier, stronger, braver, more like God, to prepare the way for Christ in the hearts of men.

III. The Witness of the Spirit (vv. 28-34). The writer is very explicit, stating the exact time that these things occurred, for he was an eye witness. John first testifies that Jesus was the Lamb of God, referring of course to the sacrificial lamb, the atoning sacrifice of the Old Testament (Gen. 22:7-8; Ex. 12:3; Isa. 53:7). As the Lamb of God, Jesus would take away the sins of the world; thus the thought is primarily that of atonement, a substitution of another and the deliverance from the guilt of sin. The next day after John's witness to the delegation from Jerusalem, he saw Jesus coming unto him, and said to the assembled people, "Behold the Lamb of God." This refers not so much to his character, that of innocence, meekness and patience, as to his office, his completed work of atonement by the sacrificial death wherein he takes away the sins of the world. On the ground of the propitiation for sin which Jesus wrought (1 John 2:2; Matt. 20:28; 1 Cor. 5:21; Gal. 3:13) sin is removed from the sinner as far as the East is from the West. God dealt in mercy with men before Christ's time because of the lamb which was slain from the foundation of the world (Rev. 13:8). Here John says that at first he did not recognize Jesus as the Messiah, but he does bear record that he saw the spirit descending at his baptism, and it abode upon him.

The work of Christ is for the whole world till all its sin is removed. He is actually removing sin from the world, and when he comes again, sin will be banished. Luke's record adds that this same Messiah is to baptize with the Holy Ghost and fire. Christians are to be on fire for God. The gift of the holy spirit at Pentecost was the first and most manifest expression of this power of Christ who is the real baptizer. Begotten of God (Luke 1:35), possessed of all the attributes of the Father (Phil. 2:6), the one in whom the fullness of the Godhead dwelt bodily (Col. 2:9) he is to be honored and worshiped as God (Heb. 1:8).

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I. B. Wixon, Farmers Mills, N. Y., has used Chamberlain's Tablets for years for disorders of the stomach and liver and says, "Chamberlain's Tablets are the best I have ever used." Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

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D. J. Baker to Emma J. Rayhouser, lot 124, Pfeiffer Place, for \$500.

Peter P. Pierce et ux to Henry A. Lautz, lot 8, Pixley's sub of Lakeside Park add, for \$3,000.

Delilah Brindle to Lena Rust, lot 101, Zollers & Swaine add and lot 31, Thompson's 2nd, for \$1.

Lena Rust to Delilah Brindle and Mary M. Peck, lot 101, Zollers & Swaine add, and lot 31, Thompson's 2nd, for \$1.

Frank Kniss et ux to Mary E. Merkel, w 1/2 lot 96, Williams add, for \$3,000.

Wm. H. F. Moeller to Florence Littlejohn, lot 93, Harrison Hill add, for \$315.

R. L. Romy et ux to F. L. Platt, e 23 ft lot 31 and w 6 ft lot 32, Rockhill's 2nd add, for \$2,225.

H. J. Alending to Schele & Weber, w 42 ft lot 5 and all lot 6 blk 30, Ewing's add, for \$15,000.

L. M. Bauer et ux to James E. and Sarah E. Weisman, s 32 2-3 ft ex w 5 ft lot 32, Beck's 2nd, for \$2,050.

Fred Lambert to B. H. Schele and C. J. Weber, lot 12 ex w 1 ft lot 21 and w 8 ft lot 20 and lots 22 and 23, Rose Lane, for \$16,000.

J. N. Mason et ux to Joseph A. Johnson, w 21 ft lots 14 and 15, Baltes, Fleming & Esmond's add, for \$4,800.

Chas. A. Wilding et ux to Anna C. Dunkelberg, lot 26, Electric Lt add, for \$1,250.

Jno. F. Harmeyer to Emma C. C. Newcomb, lot 288, Avondale, for \$250.

Peter Bailes et ux to Paul Koehler, lot 85, Anthony Blvd. Place, for \$700.

L. H. Moore et ux to Fred W. and Geo. C. Soest, lot 2, Driving Park add, for \$1,400.

Julia L. Hilleke to Cath. E. Hilleke, and 1/2 n 1/2 lot 17, Sturgis 2nd, for \$1.

COUVENTRY.

Frank W. Minsel to Lou F. Minsel, and 1/2 lot 32, S. Haven add, for \$1.

J. W. Knapp et ux to Saml. H. Bartholomew, 5 a in n pt e cor e 1/2 e 1/2 n 1/2 sec 30, Scipio tp, for \$1,025.

F. N. Schuckman to John H. Schuckman, lot 18, Schuckman's add, for \$280.

Wm. F. Green to Mary A. Adair, lots 26, 27, 28, Eureka Park add, for \$1.

Tri State to Anna C. Sullivan, lots 295 and 296, Belmont add, for \$180.

C. E. Galer et ux to Simon Ackerman, lots 2 and 3, Rousseau's o-l, for \$500.85.

Peoples' Tr. Co to Louis and Elizabeth Auer, lots 279 and 280, Eastwood add, for \$390.

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KENDALLVILLE NEWS.

Kendallville, Ind., Jan. 12.—Miss Denelda Nartker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Nartker, and Mr. Fred Pratt, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Pratt, of Bellefontaine, Ohio, were united in marriage Wednesday morning at St. Mary's Catholic church, in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives. Rev. Father Halpin officiating. The attendants were Miss Loretta Nartker, sister of the bride, and Joseph Heckman, of Glendora, O.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lane celebrated their fifty-sixth wedding anniversary Wednesday at their home on West Rush street. One of the pleasant features of the day was the elaborate dinner served at noon. Among the out of town relatives were their daughters, Mrs. E. E. Coombs, of Van Wert, Ohio, and Mrs. Sylvanus Weaver, of Brimfield, and granddaughter, Mrs. Ray

Chapman, of Brimfield.

A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Ermine Likes, of Wayne township.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jennings, Mot street, are the parents of a daughter.

A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Walburn, of Jefferson township.

C. J. Munton was at Indianapolis several days attending the motor club meeting.

A. J. Hart is at Indianapolis on a business trip.

Mrs. E. M. Lybarger has returned from Decatur, where she visited friends.

Frank Crone, who submitted to an operation at a Fort Wayne hospital several weeks ago, was able to return home Wednesday. He was taken to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Crone, south of the city.

Mrs. Mary Kramer was very much surprised when upon her return home

from church, to find her home in possession of twelve members of the Mothers' club, who had brought well-filled baskets, and had a fine lunch prepared. The occasion was to celebrate her birth anniversary.

Mrs. Gertrude Brennan is visiting friends in Indianapolis.

Mrs. W. H. Rinebolt and Mrs. L. W. Diggins visited relatives and friends in Wolcottville, Wednesday.

Glenn C. Haller has accepted a position with the Nyal Drug company at Detroit, Mich., having resigned his position as clerk in the P. G. Klinkenberg drug store.

Mrs. Donald Detro, of Fort Wayne, is the guest of Mrs. Charles Helmuth and family.

Dance, New Haven, Saturday night, orchestra.

LAST CALL

To Join Our Christmas Club

(Christmas Club Closes Monday, January 15.)

We have been highly gratified by the interest the public has taken in our Christmas Club.

Applications for membership continue to come in, but after this week we shall be obliged to close the entries.

We urgently advise all those who would like to be in this Club to attend to the matter at once. There are no formalities and no charges to join. If you can't get away to attend to it yourself, have a friend stop in for you.

Easy weekly payments and then a check from us at holiday time, made bigger by interest.

Hamilton National Bank

DAILY BIBLE READINGS FOR THE HOME

Luke 3:7-14.

7 Then said he to the multitude that came forth to be baptized of him, O generation of vipers, who hath warned you to flee from the wrath to come?

8 Bring forth therefore fruits worthy of repentance, and begin not to say within yourselves, We have Abraham to our father: for I say unto you, That God is able of these stones to raise up children unto Abraham.

9 And now also the axe is laid unto the root of the trees: every tree therefore which bringeth not forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire.

10 And the people asked him, saying, What shall we do then?

11 He answereth and saith unto them, He that hath two coats, let him impart to him that hath none; and he that hath meat, let him do likewise.

12 Then came also publicans to be baptized, and said unto him, Master, what shall we do?

13 And he said unto them, Exact no more than that which is appointed you.

14 And the soldiers likewise demanded of him, saying, And what shall we do? And he said unto them, Do violence to no man, neither accuse any falsely; and be content with your wages.

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Fighting Goodrich Measures

The wisdom of organized democratic opposition such as is now reported to be forming at Indianapolis to the abolition of the oil inspection bureau and certain other changes in state governmental machinery sponsored by Governor Goodrich seems to The Sentinel to be open to serious question. To begin with, in face of the heavy republican house majority, backed up by a complete state administration of like political faith, it is extremely doubtful if headway can be made. Rather the likelihood is that opposition will develop into nothing more than temporary obstruction that will prove futile at last.

But there are other considerations that should appeal to high-minded party men. Mr. Goodrich made his campaign for the governorship on certain well-defined lines. He indicated his purpose to do certain things if he were elected, and the magnitude of his majority manifested the plain intent of the people of Indiana to give him an opportunity to try out his governmental theories. They may prove an excellent thing for the state, and if that be true, democracy should gladly applaud them. They may prove to be colossal failures, in which case democracy is clearly absolved from all responsibility for the failure. It is none of our party funeral. The Goodrich propaganda is going to dislodge no office-holders who would not be displaced in any event as the outcome of the November results, so that the selfish but often-prevalent desire to take care of political friends cannot enter into the present situation, and opposition for the mere sake of opposition is utterly foolish.

Democracy, through the eight years of Indiana history just passed, did some big things and some splendid things in the operation of state government. Temporary reverse at the polls is not to be construed as a repudiation of all this. It is a record which speaks for itself, and if Mr. Goodrich's performance fails to square with his advance claims for it, the voters will be quick to return the reins of state government to the hands of democracy. He is by no means the first successful candidate to come into power with a program for radical change. In practice it may fail dismally to measure up to the glowing promises made for it, but we think democracy can well afford to give it a fair chance. If it is a better method than we have been using, certainly Indiana democrats want it. If it isn't, we may be very sure the voters will register their disapproval at the earliest opportunity. The democratic members of the present legislature have a most important duty in serving as the balance wheel in the legislative machinery. There is small occasion for them to do more and little hope for success in the attempt. We are glad to note, even with the talk of organized opposition, there is clearly apparent in the rank and file of democratic membership a desire to co-operate in any measure that promises practical economy without the sacrifice of high grade of governmental service. That is, after all, the highest duty of even the party man.

Pennsylvania presidential electors, meeting to formally cast their votes for Hughes and Fairbanks as required by law, were thoughtful and kindly enough to send Mr. Fairbanks an expression of the fact that even if the thirty-eight votes of Pennsylvania were useless to Mr. Fairbanks, they were glad he got them. Still, the size of the republican majority in Pennsylvania had convinced the country in advance how the Keystone state folk felt about it.

The entente reply to President Wilson's peace note and the casual comment on that document which comes hurtling out of Berlin, combine to indicate convincingly that each side is strong for peace if the other fellow gives in and admits he's licked, but under no other consideration whatsoever. Which is just about what we'd been given to understand long ago.

The multiplicity of bills now being introduced into the legislature to amend the law governing the holding of city primaries this year threatens to leave us as mixed and beclouded as was the case last spring when we addressed ourselves to the task of unscrambling the original law and finding out just what it meant, anyhow.

Congressman Wood's effort to secure a congressional investigation of that "leak" at Washington manifests pronounced symptoms of blowing up, and while it didn't get far, the Lafayette man can take to himself the pleasing reflection that it made a lot of noise while it lasted.

The mayor of Michigan City, who was elected four years ago by the republicans and the progressives, announces that he will seek reelection this year on the democratic ticket—doubtless on the principle that before a man can be certain which party he likes best, he should try them all.

The United Mine Workers having followed the coal operators, the railroads and the retail dealers in declaring that the miners are in no wise responsible for the high prices of coal, the thing seems to be unanimous and nobody's to blame.

Harry Thaw appears to have made a fizzle of his attempt at suicide—but fizzes are not especially unique in the career of this erratic young man. His entire life has been one.

Time and the Bee in the Movie Art

The real wonders of the moving picture machine are not those for which the public cares most. They are the marvels which the camera discloses in the various fields of science.

When the first films of a running horse were shown, jockeys and horse lovers discovered that they had never before seen how a horse actually moves.

There are thousands of movements in nature which are far too rapid for the human eye to detect. But the scientific camera has gradually been conquering time. The tale of the photographing of a bee in flight, as told by Francis A. Collins in his book, "The Camera Man," is a romance of a race between nature's mechanism in the shape of a bee's wing and the mechanism man has devised in the form of the moving picture machine.

It appears that the beat of a bee's wing is one of the most rapid movements in nature. The ordinary moving picture camera takes sixteen pictures a second, but this was too slow for the bee. Then a "maching" which could do an exposure in one two-hundredths of a second was used, but the bee was still leading.

Finally a special type of scientific moving picture machine was operated.

"A bee was launched almost upside down before the camera, and the film shows its efforts to right itself. The bee regained its equilibrium so quickly that no human eye could possibly follow its movements. The final exposure shows the bee right side up and making a 'bee line' for safety. The entire operation was performed in one-hundredth of a second, during which period twenty sharply focussed pictures were taken."

But so slowly does the human eye accommodate itself to the details of motion, that when the bee films are shown, they must be slowed down to the rate ordinarily used, and the bee's wings "appear to flap as lazily as those of a very deliberate chicken when stretching itself."

Thus the most ardent movie fan is quite unaware of the most amazing features of this great modern art.

Auto is America's Greatest Carrier

(BY BASIL MANLY.)

When it comes to passenger traffic the auto has run away from the steam railroad and the electric cars.

Alfred Reeves, general manager of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, has collected statistics which show that the automobiles of the United States perform a greater passenger service than either the entire American steam railroad system or all the urban and interurban electric roads.

Here are the figures:

In 1914 the steam railroads carried 1,032,000,000 passengers an average distance of 33 6-10 miles, or a total of 33 1-4 billion passenger-miles. In comparison, the 3,250,000 passenger automobiles now registered, averaging 5,000 miles a year, which is very conservative, and carrying three passengers per car, gave a service of 48 3-4 billion passenger-miles, or 45 per cent more than all the steam railroads of the country.

The steam railroads earned \$700,400,000 for their passenger service, but at the same rate per mile the automobiles would have earned \$975,000,000, or nearly enough to pay the extraordinary expenses of the federal government.

The street and electric railroads carried 9,500,000,000 passengers in 1912 (the latest official figures available). The average distance was 4 miles, making 38,000,000,000 passenger-miles, or about 20 per cent less than the automobiles.

AIN'T NATURE WONDERFUL!

BY GENE AHERN.

The fellow who admits he is a bone-head shows signs of wisdom. Hit on the head. Take your base!

Any kid will tell you his mother is a movie actress, with the slipper. Over the pan! On strike!

Ge! It must be tough for a fellow to go to work again, after his political job has went. You're out!

I see where it takes 5,000 elephants a year to make piano keys. Ain't it

The Sentinel's Daily Cartoonet

YES, BUT TO KEEP IT WILL BE NO JOKE



jest wonderful what some animals can be trained to do?—Giggly Goff.

If success came as easy as colds—OH! BOY!

UNSOLVED MYSTERIES.

Why do they label 'em "a bouncing baby boy, or girl?" Is it on account of the baw? That's him, officer!

SHORT ONES.

A statesman makes the occasion, but the occasion makes the politician.—Hilliard.

A rival to the great question, How to Dispose of Used Razor Blades, is, What to Do With Last Year's Calendar.

Oklahoma man gets a divorce, alleging short skirts. If this becomes a precedent, what an unscrambling there'll be!

An Indiana woman is backing a bill to abolish corsets. We'd like to prohibit wives from selecting husbands' neckties.

Intense excitement in Nicaragua: A new president took office, and there wasn't a riot!

With censorship of the newspapers and the movies on the way to success, how soon before the Sons of Darkness will be censoring the Bible?

Letters from The Sentinel Readers

LIKES TAX ARTICLES.

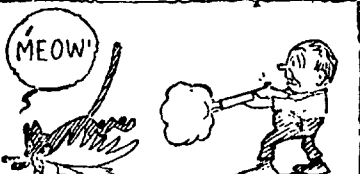
To the Editor of The Sentinel: I have been reading with much interest the series of articles on Indiana taxation by Professor Wright. They get to the bottom of our troubles, it seems to me. I have been making something of a study of taxation myself and realize that a remedy is needed for Fort Wayne conditions, at least. I have come to think that a permanent assessor would be a step in the right direction. A READER.

HORSE RAISERS TO MEET.

There will be a meeting at one o'clock Saturday afternoon in the office of A. J. Hutchins, county agent, of Belgian horse raisers of the Fort Wayne district, who will perfect their organization.

Player Piano, \$325, regular value \$550. A bargain. At Spiegel Piano Co., 825 Calhoun St. 11-21

ODD, ISN'T IT?



MINNEAPOLIS.—The Audubon Bird club has decreed that cats must go.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

What the Sentinel Had to Say About Persons and Events Twenty-Five Years Ago.

The weather for the past week has been hard on street car horses.

The elevator at the government building broke down this morning. No one was hurt.

Last night's snow wasn't very big, but it improved the sleighing somewhat on our paved streets.

The Centlivre Brewing company is cutting ice on Spy Run near the Centlivre park. The ice is four inches in thickness.

E. F. Yarnelle informs a Sentinel reporter that several new patients from Michigan have just arrived at the Plymouth Institute.

Col. James Humphrey, who accompanied his aged mother to Michigan, has returned home. Mrs. Humphrey has gone to Muskegon, where she will visit another son.

E. L. Crow has taken a position with the Lumbard Insurance agency, to succeed W. P. Cooper, who is now managing the Plymouth Institute at Warsaw for Messrs. Mossman and Yarnelle.

Henry Spencer, a butcher working in a Fairfield avenue meat market, was cutting meat with a cleaver

yesterday morning, when the ax glanced against a bone and slipping from his hand, buried itself in his right leg.

About 10 o'clock last night the department of the second ward engine house responded to a summons from box 45, and soon reached the premises at 10 Force street, where a woodshed was in flames. The property is owned by C. Denahy.

The following committee has been appointed by the Sons of Veterans to perfect arrangements for the next state encampment to be held here in August or September: Capt. E. H. Bookwalter, Capt. W. F. Geller, Capt. T. W. Blair, Lieut. Ed C. Close and James M. Robinson.

City Clerk Rudy C. Reinwald in making up his records for building permits issued during the year 1911, finds the total number of applications granted by him, 375; the total number granted in 1910, were 485, making a decrease for 1911 of 110. This decrease Mr. Reinwald attributes to the great amount of street and minor improvements done in 1911, amounting to the sum of \$401,000.

BIGGEST CLOTHING VALUES

While the average store is "cleaning up" its "early season left overs" at reduced prices, I am in the market BUYING NEW GOODS ON WHICH THE MANUFACTURER TAKES THE LOSS in order to clean up his surplus stocks. Thus I am able to offer the men of Fort Wayne the FINAL WINTER PRODUCTIONS of FINE SUITS and OVERCOATS in a complete RANGE OF SIZES—in ALL MODELS—ALL MATERIALS—ALL PATTERNS—ALL COLORS—FOR A WHOLE LOT LESS than you you are usually asked to pay for INCOMPLETE LINES and ODDS and ENDS. TODAY I am in a position to offer you SUITS and OVERCOATS at \$10-\$15-\$20 that couldn't be manufactured at those prices. This is an absolute fact and you can verify it by personal inspection.

REMEMBER THIS FACT, that COST OF PRODUCTION this year is going to be as HIGH and EVEN HIGHER THAN EVER BEFORE. Materials, woollens, dyes, etc., are all at TOP NOTCH PRICES so the WISE MAN is the man who BUYS TODAY for the FUTURE.

Just Right Clothes
Theo. J. Israel
1011 CALHOUN ST.

Sketches from Life . . . By Temple



"You Will Like Him, Daddy"

NEW CLUB WANTS TO FIND A HOME

Next action of the newly formed University club will be to rent a home. Directors of the organization discussed that question on Thursday evening. They expect to decide on the matter at their next meeting.

Membership committee of the club will meet on Saturday night to pass on another list of names, which have been handed in of eligibles to the club. The organization promises to enroll more members than any other club in the city. The men will hold a "get-together" meeting sometime in the near future.

In 1912 the United States imported more than 38,000,000 tons of grass and clover seed, 13,000,000 of which came from Germany. In 1915 the importations were not heavy, but over three-fourths of them came from France.

Doctor Tells How To Strengthen Eyesight 50 per cent In One Week's Time In Many Instances

A Free Prescription You Can Have Filled and Use at Home.

Philadelphia, Pa. Do you wear glasses? Are you a victim of eye strain or other eye weakness? If so, you will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope for you. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored through the principle of this wonderful free prescription. One man says, after trying it: "I was almost blind; could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without any glasses and my eyes do not water any more. At night they would pain dreadfully; now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "The atmosphere seemed hazy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seems clear. I can even read fine print without glasses." It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time and multitude more will be able to strengthen their eyes so as to be spared the trouble and expense of ever getting glasses. Eye troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefited by following the simple rules. Here is the prescription: Go to any active drug store and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets. Drop one Bon-Opto tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and allow to dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. You should notice your eyes clear up perceptibly right from the start and inflammation will quickly disappear. If your eyes are bothering you, even a little, take steps to save them now before it is too late. Many hopelessly blind, might have been saved if they had cared for their eyes in time.

Notes: Another prominent Physician to whom the above article was submitted, said: "Bon-Opto is a very remarkable remedy. Its constituent ingredients are well known to earnest eye specialists and widely prescribed by them. The medicine guarantees it to strengthen eyesight 50 per cent in one week's time in many instances and the money, if not so obtained from any good druggist and is one of the very best preparations I feel should be kept on hand for every eye almost every family." It is sold in Ft. Wayne by Dreier Drug Co., Meyer Bros. and other druggists.

Try Sentinel Want Ads. Sentinel Want Ads. Pay.

THE BOSTON STORE

WHEN YOU THINK OF DRY GOODS THINK OF THE GREAT CLEARANCE SALE THAT IS NOW GOING ON AT OUR STORE. YOU CAN SAVE MONEY ON WHATEVER YOU BUY.

MUSLIN DEPARTMENT.

9c Unbleached Muslin, Sale Price, 8c a yd.
10c Unbleached Muslin, Sale Price, 9c yd.
11c Unbleached Muslin, Sale Price, 10c yd.
9c Bleached Muslin, Sale Price, 8 1/2c a yd.
10c Bleached Muslin, Sale Price, 9c a yd.
11c Bleached Muslin, Sale Price, 10c a yd.
12 1/2c Bleached Muslin, Sale Price, 11c yd.
11c White Cambric Muslin at 10c a yard.
36-in. Bleached Pillow Tubing, Sale Price, 16c a yard.
40-in. Bleached Pillow Tubing, Sale Price, 17c a yard.
42-in. Bleached Pillow Tubing, Sale Price, 18c a yard.
40-in. Bleached Pillow Casing, Sale Price, 14c a yard.
42-in. Bleached or Half Bleached Pillow Casing at 16c a yard.
9x4 Unbleached Sheetting, Sale Price, 28c a yard.
9x4 Bleached Sheetting, Sale Price, 28c yd.
9x4 Bleached Sheetting, Sale Price, 30c yd.
Good Straw Ticking at 10c and 11 1/2c yd.
Good Feather Ticking at 16c a yard.
Extra Heavy Feather Ticking at 23c a yd.
Bleached Bed Sheets, Sale Price, 55c each.
Bleached Pillow Cases at 12 1/2c each.
Cotton Blankets, grey or tan, Special price, 59c and 75c a pair.
Large Size Grey or tan Cotton Blankets, Sale Price, 98c a pair.
Large Size Woolnap Blankets, Special price, \$1.89 a pair.
Extra Large Wool Finish Plaid Blankets at \$2.75 a pair.
Extra Heavy and Extra Large Wool Finish Plaid Blankets, Sale Price, \$2.98 pr.

Large Size Fancy Plaid Wool Blankets, Sale Price, \$4.50 a pair.
Large Size Fancy Plaid Wool Blankets, Special price, \$5.00 a pair.
Good Bed Comforters at \$1.25 and \$1.50 ea.
All Curtains and Curtain Materials sold at Clearance Sale Prices.
LINEN DEPARTMENT.
Brown Cotton Toweling, Sale Price, 6c yd.
Bleached Cotton Toweling, Twilled, Sale Price, 6c a yard.
Unbleached Linen Crash, Sale Price, 10c a yard.
18-in. Unbleached Linen Crash, Sale Price, 13c a yard.
All Linen Unbleached Crash, Sale Price, 16c a yard.
Bleached Linen Finish Crash, Sale Price, 11c a yard.
Large Size Hemmed Bed Spreads, Sale Price, 95c each.
Large Size Hemmed Bed Spreads at \$1.15 each.
Extra Large Size Hemmed Bed Spreads at \$1.25 each.
Extra Large Size Hemmed Bed Spreads at \$1.39 each.
Extra Large Size Hemmed Bed Spreads at \$1.75 each.
Bleached Huck Towels, Sale Price, 7c ea.
Heavy Huck Towels, plain white or colored border, Sale Price, 8 1/2c each.
Fringed Bleached Bath Towels, Special Price, 9c each.
Hemmed Bath Towels, Sale Price, 10c and 12 1/2c each.
Extra Large Hemmed Bath Towels, Sale Price, 15c each.

Don't Fail To Attend This Great Sale as It Means Money in Your Pocket.

Wm. HAHN & CO.

Fort Wayne's Greatest Bargain Store.

NEWS OF FORT WAYNE'S NEIGHBORS

AUTO CRASH

MAY BE FATAL

Two Men Seriously Injured When Automobile Was Wrecked North of Markle.

Markle, Ind., Jan. 12.—In an automobile accident on the Wells-Huntington county line road, about one and one-half miles north of Markle, Charles Faust, a farmer whose home is near Bippus, was dangerously, and it is feared fatally injured, and his companion, Jesse Tyner, living east of Huntington, sustained a broken arm and other injuries.

Both men were taken into Markle by A. Edgar, a farmer who happened along in an automobile and found the two men with their wrecked car, both free from the car, but too dazed to know just how the accident occurred. Indications were that the Overland car, belonging to Faust, was going at a pretty good speed, south, when in trying to get out of a rut, the car got beyond control. It had flipped over twice and stopped headed north. The top was torn off the car and other fixtures, fenders, etc., were smashed, but the car was run into Markle on its own power.

\$80,000 IS PLEDGED.

Bluffton Meets Proposition to Secure the Bay Piano Factory.

Bluffton, Ind., Jan. 12.—Victory for Bluffton in the strenuous campaign to win the H. C. Bay Piano company factory for this city, was proclaimed when half a dozen long blasts were blown on the city waterworks whistle, the prearranged signal to citizens that success had crowned the efforts to

meet the conditions of the proposition of Mr. H. C. Bay, president of the Bay company.

The victory announced meant that the committees who did such faithful work had brought to a successful climax their canvass for contributions to a \$20,000 bonus fund and for subscriptions to the \$80,000 worth of preferred stock which Bluffton people are to take in the H. C. Bay company under the conditions set out in the proposition from Mr. Bay.

STRUCK BY TRAIN.

Bluffton Junk Buyer Has Narrow Escape from Death.

Bluffton, Ind., Jan. 12.—Max Gurtvitz, of this city, a brother-in-law of Joe Gilman, the West Washington street junk dealer, with whom he is employed, had a narrow and almost miraculous escape from death about eleven o'clock Thursday forenoon, when Gilman's Ford automobile truck, which he was driving, was struck at a crossing at the north edge of Poneto, by Lake Erie south-bound local freight No. 93, in charge of Conductor Charles Gray.

SCHOOL STATISTICS.

Decatur, Ind., Jan. 12.—Auditor John Mosure has received from Indianapolis a report of the school funds that will come to Adams county from the January distribution of funds for 1917. The distribution is made on a per capita basis of \$2.05 per person between the ages of 6 and 21 years in the state. The last distribution made in June was on a basis of \$2.31 per capita. The report shows that there are in Adams county a school population of 4,911 and that the county will receive from the state school tax \$12,335.77 and from interest on the

common school fund \$2,113.04, a total of \$14,448.81.

MORE ADDITIONS PLANNED.

Garrett, Ind., Jan. 12.—That the Baltimore & Ohio intends to spend a few hundred thousand dollars in Garrett improvements and extensions this year is reliably reported to be practically beyond a doubt. The plan call for extension of the yards to Auburn Junction and large additions to the shops. The yard extensions will make Garrett one of the more important terminals of the system. The present plans call for the addition of four stalls to the roundhouse, the erection of a machine shop adjacent to the roundhouse and the installation of new machinery in other departments of the shops.

GREATER PLANT PROPOSED.

Montpelier, Ind., Jan. 12.—One of the largest deals made in the city for a long time was the purchase of the controlling stock in the Montpelier Manufacturing company by Guy R. Rackin and others, who will develop the business as fast as it can be done. The plant will be under the same management it has been—Charles Morse, manager, and Dave Lillie, both of whom have stock in the concern. The new organization has not met to organize and elect officers, but will do this in a short time, sometime during January.

MRS. STOGDILL DEAD.

Bluffton, Ind., Jan. 12.—Mrs. Charles Stogdill, aged 28 years, died at an early hour yesterday morning, at her home, two miles north of Tocsin. Mrs. Stogdill had been sick for over a week, but was taken seriously ill with pneumonia, which was the direct cause of her death, late Tuesday evening.

LIGONER PIONEER DEAD.

Ligonier, Ind., Jan. 12.—Levi Glant, 77, died at his home in Ligonier Thursday after an illness of some weeks, death resulting from hardening of the arteries. Levi Glant had been a resident of Noble county and

community for many years and had spent much of his life in the Haw-patch, moving to Ligonier about seven years ago. He was a highly respected citizen. Surviving besides a widow are two children, Ora Glant, of near Topeka, and Hattie Glant, of Terre Haute.

NEW ROAD WANTED.

Warsaw, Ind., Jan. 12.—George Harlan and fifty-nine other taxpayers of Scott township have filed a petition with the county auditor to be presented at the next session of the county commissioners asking for an improved highway in the township, to begin at the south end of the Anglin road and extend to the south line of the township. The petition asks for a free gravel road about two miles in length.

IN NEW QUARTERS MONDAY.

Garrett, Ind., Jan. 12.—Beginning next Monday, the Garrett postoffice will be located in the Abell building on East King street. The new quarters are being furnished in readiness for the removal from the Thomson building on West King street. Workmen have been engaged in getting the equipment installed and the rooms otherwise prepared for the government's use.

FOUND DEAD IN CHAIR.

Bluffton, Ind., Jan. 12.—Dick Hunter, owner of the fish market on North Main street and for years a familiar figure on the streets of Bluffton, was found dead in his chair yesterday morning, in his room over the old Merri-man bakery on East Market street. It is thought that he died in the early hours of the morning, from heart disease.

756 MILES OF ROAD.

Bluffton, Ind., Jan. 12.—There are 756 miles of improved roads in Wells county, according to the report made today by County Highway Superintendent Markley. Of this number 296 miles are improved with stone and 460 with gravel. During the year of 1916 a total of forty miles of road were resurfaced, this being in addition to the general repair work.

VICTIM OF CANCER.

Warsaw, Ind., Jan. 12.—Mrs. Charles Balesley, aged 35 years, was claimed by death Wednesday evening, death occurring at her home a mile north of this city. Mrs. Balesley had been in ill health for a number of months and for the past few months had been confined constantly to her bed. Her death was due to cancer.

SUES FOR COMMISSION.

Auburn, Ind., Jan. 12.—Suit for \$1,190 alleged to be due as his commission in a real estate deal, brought by John A. Stockberger, a Fort Wayne real estate man, against Raymond E. Zane, of Hillsdale county, Mich., is being heard by a jury in the DeKalb circuit court.

HARTFORD CITY WOMAN DEAD.

Hartford City, Ind., Jan. 12.—Mrs. Sophia Adams Howard, 51, wife of Rev. I. J. Howard, west Kickapoo street, died early Thursday morning after an illness of four weeks with a complication of diseases. She had not been in the best of health for some time prior to that period.

HEARING MARCH 1.

Garrett, Ind., Jan. 12.—A hearing of the petition for a tunnel under the Lee street crossing of the Baltimore & Ohio will be held in Garrett March 1. Notification to this effect was sent last week to H. A. Gard, who was instrumental in getting the petition to the commission.

TAKEN TO PRISON.

Portland, Ind., Jan. 12.—George W. Foster, sentenced to the Jeffersonville reformatory for an indefinite period of one to eight years, was taken to the state institution Thursday by Deputy Sheriff Glenn Arbaugh, who started on the early morning train, going by way of Richmond.

HUNTERTOWN BANK ELECTS.

The Huntertown State bank has elected the following officers for the coming year: Charles Hartung, president; Charles Bleke, vice president; William Burrell, secretary, and Ben Warnock, cashier. The board of directors besides the officers is composed of Charles Solomon, Charles Rodenbeck, Guy Kniss and J. W. Garman.

Sentinel Want Ads. Pay.

The Most Important Ladies' Wearing Apparel

Bargain Event of the Year

January Clear-A-Way Sale

Offering Every Garment in the Store at Prices That Does Not Cover the Cost of Materials

We will countenance no laggard lots—no last season's goods here—because we want to keep our stocks new. This sale is proving to hundreds of frugal shoppers to what extremes we will go in order to carry out this policy of offering our entire remaining stock of Women's Coats, Suits, Dresses, Skirts and Waists at such prices that do not even cover the cost of the materials.

COATS AT WONDER PRICES

\$8.00 and \$10.00 Coats Now	\$11.50 to \$13.50 Coats Now	\$15.00 to \$17.50 Coats Now	\$18.50 to \$20.00 Coats Now	\$22.50 to \$30.00 Coats Now
\$5.00	\$7.75	\$9.95	\$10.75	\$14.75

SUITS In Three Big Groups Dresses In Silk and Serges

Suit Values to \$20, Now	Suit Values to \$25, Now	Suit Values to \$35, Now	Dress Values to \$15, Now	Dress Values to \$20, Now
\$7.95	\$9.95	\$12.50	\$9.95	\$10.75

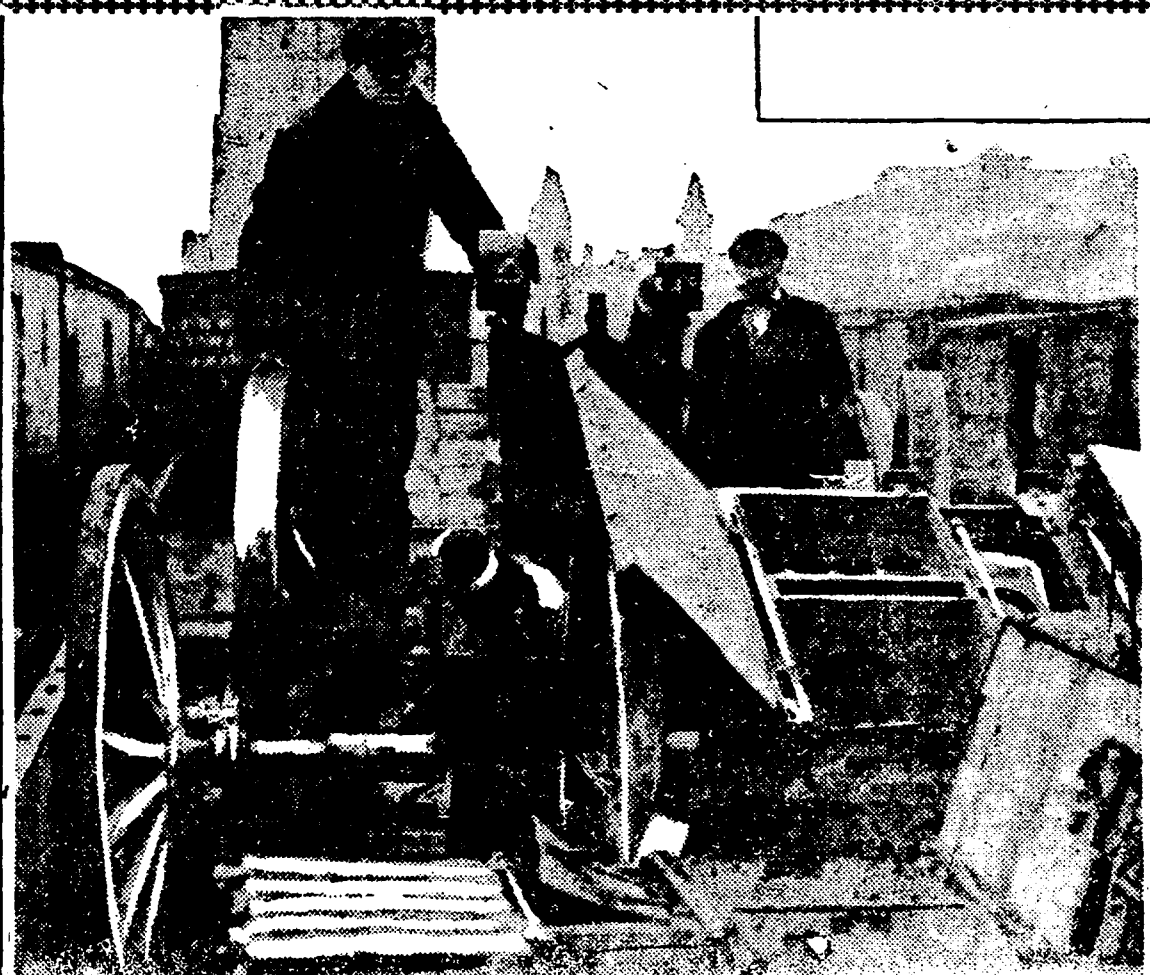
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Values, Slightly Soiled
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WOMEN'S WEAR EXCLUSIVELY

WAISTS
\$2.98 to \$5.00
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SOCIETY

Honoring her guest, Miss Barbara Dodge and Mrs. S. T. Hull, of Angola, Mrs. James B. Crankshaw entertained players for nine tables of ladies at auction bridge this afternoon. Many pink carnations and roses and palms gave the rooms a lovely appearance and furthered the pleasure of the company. Mrs. Hull, Miss Dodge and Miss Helen Colerick assisted the hostess in serving a delicious and refreshing repast after the game. Mrs. Oscar Fox's sister, Mrs. Louis Diesel, of Chicago, was a visiting guest.

A buffet luncheon was Mrs. S. B. Bechtel's manner of entertaining visiting ladies here for the Bowser convention, this afternoon. The house had a profusion of flowers for decorative purposes and the result was lovely with pink roses in the breakfast room. Mrs. Bechtel was assisted by Mrs. S. F. Bowser, who poured coffee; Mrs. D. A. Corey, who served the ice cream from a handsomely appointed table; and by Mrs. Harry Bowser and Mrs. H. J. Grosvenor in the living room, and Mrs. A. S. Bowser, Mrs. W. G. Zahrt, Mrs. L. F. Johnson, Mrs. Daniel Milligan and Miss Mildred Bowser in the dining room. The guests at the luncheon numbered fifty-five.

Mrs. Ellis Branson invited a few intimate friends to meet Mrs. Harold Stark at a theater party followed by refreshments at the Arentz store yesterday afternoon. The table was laid in pink, with roses and stavia for the

center and pink baskets of nuts and pink and white frosted cakes for each place. Mrs. Stark's mother and sister, Mrs. I. N. Taylor and Mrs. N. N. Fisher, invited a few friends to call to say goodby on Wednesday, as Mrs. Stark returned with her little daughter, Ruth Margaret, to Detroit, today.

Mrs. Frank Cuthall entertained girlhood friends of Mrs. Lura Fee Rohrer, of Kansas City, Mo., at a luncheon of charming appointment at 1 o'clock today. Spring flowers were the decoration and visiting with the honor guest was interspersed with exclamations of pleasure over the delectable menu served.

One might not naturally conclude by attending Morning Musical programs in Elks' hall this winter that each program committee was trying to give a program a little bit more varied or finer in quality than any previously done since the society resumed its active member programs in October. And while that is not the exact case it is true that many very beautiful programs have been given. Today Mrs. Clara Zollars-Bond, Mrs. C. A. Horton, Miss Walts and Miss Spindler were the committee and they had the satisfaction of a large audience and a nearly flawless program. Assisting the committee were Mrs. H. H. Rogers, Miss Ethel Doud, Mrs. William Cleary, Miss Emel Verweire, Miss Irene Apfelbaum and non-members Wade Verweire, cello; Wilbur Pickett

and Myron Fisher, violins, and Paul Gregg, flute. Both solo and concerted work was splendidly done while accompanists again demonstrated what ability and attainment mean in the art of accompanying.

Mrs. E. H. Rohbock, of Wabash, is to spend the week-end here with her daughter, Miss Eva Rohbock.

Mrs. L. E. Trout, of Packard avenue, gave a small bridge party yesterday in honor of Mrs. P. Gately, of Chicago.

Dallas F. Green has returned to Newark, N. J., but Mrs. Green remains in town to care for her husband's aged father, Thomas H. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knase are entertaining their daughter, Mrs. E. W. Breese and her daughter, Evelyn, of Chicago, for a few days' visit.

Mrs. W. J. Evans, of 1313 West Wayne street, has returned from a three weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. R. M. Kapp, of St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. Ray Kulp and little son, from Davenport, Ia., who were here on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller, of East DeWald street, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bercau, who were here on a visit and spending their honeymoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Wagner, of 1215 Scott avenue, have returned to Edgerton, O.

The Informal Dancing club meets Friday evening in the hall of the Odd Fellows' building, corner of Wayne and Calhoun streets. The change of meeting place is temporary for this evening only.

Mrs. Fred Scheiman entertained the Laetitia club members on Wednesday afternoon at a special gathering to honor visitors, Mrs. Enoch Schroeder, of Washington, D. C., and Miss Sophie Becker, of the same city.

Mrs. Edith Nickell-Bailhe, Miss Helene Spindler and Miss Georgette Bonelli gave a concert in South Whitley on Wednesday evening that was one of a series of lecture entertainments in progress there this winter.

The marriage of Miss Louise Christie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Christie, of Spy Run avenue, to Mr. Otto Dirmeyer, an engineer for the Pennsylvania company, has just been announced as having taken place in Michigan, on August 12, 1916. Mr. and Mrs. Dirmeyer have begun housekeeping at 111 West Williams street, and are at home to their many friends there.

Mrs. Walter G. Zahrt, of Hoagland avenue, gave a luncheon on Thursday to honor visiting ladies at the convention of Bowser manufacturing men. Small tables were laid for the luncheon and pink and white roses and carnations decorated each table. Mrs. H. J. Grosvenor, Mrs. Daniel Milligan, Mrs. E. H. Briggs, Miss Esther Zahrt, Miss Lola Billman and Miss Bess Rank assisted Mrs. Zahrt in serving the fifty-five guests present. An impromptu program of music was enjoyed after the luncheon.

Mrs. G. W. McCaskey gave a delightful afternoon entertainment on Thursday in honor of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Edward McCaskey, who has come from Mississippi to live. Assisting at refreshments were Mrs. F. E. Stouder and Mrs. Edwin Dalman. The ladies invited included Mrs. H. B. Mazur, Mrs. Maurice Lohman, Mrs.

Mrs. Waterman, Mrs. Charles J. Warden, Mrs. Harry C. Hogan, Miss Sarah Burdick, Miss Dorothy Deter, Miss Helen Lane, Miss Olive Gaunt, Miss Ruth and Helen Caldwell, Miss Katharine Wagenhals, Miss Phyllis Randall, Miss Maribel Olds, Miss Margery Pickard, Miss Elizabeth Porter, Miss Margaret Wilding, Miss Geraldine Bulson, Miss Virginia Cary, Misses Madge and Helen Magee, Miss Ola Marks, Miss Mildred Saylor, Miss Esther Freese, Miss Martha Tolan, Miss Irma Poole. The ladies took their sewing and were served a supper at 5 o'clock.

Mrs. Mize Gives Noon Day Talk. Mrs. F. P. Mize talked to the young women employed in the A. H. Perfect factory on Thursday noon, concerning the value of opportunity and friendship, which she described as golden in quality, when they stood for the highest things. The "golden" opportunities and so on were emphasized by a yellow plan in decoration. The string quartet from the Orpheum theater furnished some music that added to the pleasure of the hour, and J. B. Franke made a few appropriate remarks during the time.

AT THE MAJESTIC.

"Intolerance," the World's Movie Sensation, Opens Monday. Not since "The Birth of a Nation" started the theater world has there been offered such a sensation as is afforded by D. W. Griffith's "Intolerance," which will begin an engagement of three days at the Majestic Monday.

That Griffith has duplicated the popular success of "The Birth of a Nation" is now an established fact, and the consensus of opinion is enthusiastically in support of the assertion that his last is not only his greatest production but that it is the most massive and stupendous the world is likely to see in many years. The marvels of Babylon with its glitter and pomp; the ceremonies of the priests; the orgies of the courts and finally the destruction of Belshazzar's capital by the hosts of Cyrus, are not in the usual nature of motion picture presentations at all, but more like the visualization of a marvelous imagination. It is now known that the single street which discloses a part of Babylon and which is a mile in length cost \$250,000 to erect. Not in the magnificence of its settings is this picture spectacle unique in the world. The ordinary and conventional methods of story telling on the stage have been abandoned entirely. A new art form has been created. The production tells four stories, each one a complete and historical narrative, and none related to any other, save in that spirit which, in this spectacle, makes war upon intolerance.

AT THE PALACE.

THE KILLARNEY MAIDS.

Charming Musical Melange Tops Bill at New Palace.

With the Kirksmith sisters as the principals, the "Maids of Killarney" in a revue of Irish folk songs and dances is presenting a charming musical melange as the feature attraction at the New Palace for the remainder of the week. The girls are musicians of wide versatility, playing a varied group of instruments and singing equally well while their dignified dancing numbers are made all the prettier by reason of the exquisitely dainty costumes they wear.

"Cheer Your Hat" is the new vehicle in which John T. Ray and Grace Hillard are riding to fame this season. Ray as the country bumpkin, with the laughable mannerisms is as funny as ever. He's not one of the "straw hatted hay-seed-in-the-hair" type but one that might have been picked from real life. Kenos and Green's dancing and singing medley interspersed with a grist of hilarious comedy business gets over big. Kane and Herman are a team of sidewalk kidders with plenty of new stuff. Fields, Kean and Walsh, a trio of singing boys, have a novel arrangement for their act appearing as the candy boy, usher and card boy of a theater, having a good time after the show by pre-empting the stage, and putting on an act of their own. Will Morris, the cycling comedian, is a clever clown that opens the bill in an effective manner.

AT THE JEFFERSON.

"The Great Secret," Jefferson's New Serial, Makes Big Hit.

If the balance of the chapters of "The Great Secret," the mighty Metro serial which opened at the Jefferson yesterday with chapter one, "The Secret Seven," contains as much action and interest compelling material as the initial episode, a new era of quality will be established for continued



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Gowns, Waists, Skirts,
Furs and Petticoats**

UNCLE SAM'S BUDGET BIG, STILL GROWING

New Army and Navy Will
Add Heavily to Totals
for Next Year.

BY GIBSON GARDNER.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Uncle Sam's budget for next year will be approximately a billion dollars. It is a growing budget, and the following year it will be a billion, three hundred million. The bigger army and navy account for the greater totals.

The past fiscal year saw all bills paid out of regular revenues and about forty million dollars margin in the general fund. It is estimated by Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo that the fiscal year which ends June 30, 1917, will see a deficit of about a hundred million and that at the end of the 1918 fiscal year the deficit will be about three hundred millions.

To meet these deficits the authorities plan to sell Panama canal bonds and to put on some additional taxes—perhaps on coffee, rubber and wool. The above figures do not include the postoffice receipts and expenditures. That department pays for itself and generally shows a balance to the good.

The expenditures from the general fund for the last fiscal year were as follows:

For civil establishment	\$204,048,737.91
For military establishment	122,392,362.98
For soldiers' homes, cemeteries, etc.	\$9,792,912.14
For rivers and harbors	32,450,301.55
For naval establishment	155,029,425.78
For Indian service	17,570,283.81
For pensions	159,302,351.20
For interest on public debt	22,900,313.03
For Panama canal	17,503,723.07
For miscellaneous	1,016,310.50

Total \$741,996,726.07

In the above table it is interesting to note that the expenditures for pensions exceeds what was spent on the active military establishment. In other words, the government is paying more each year on account of the civil war fought fifty-three years ago than it is for maintaining an army for present use. These figures are for the fiscal year which closed June 30, 1916, and do not include the cost of the militia mobilization on the Mexican border.

This money was raised from the following sources:

Customs	\$213,185,845.63
Internal revenue:	
Ordinary	303,386,474.04
Emergency taxes	84,278,302.13
Corporation income tax	56,993,567.98
Individual income tax	67,943,594.63
Sale of public lands	1,887,661.80
Mint service	4,354,613.12
Panama canal tolls	2,869,095.28
Miscellaneous	47,534,403.16

Total \$782,534,547.77

Secretary McAdoo figures on more

money in the next two years. He estimates that the individual income tax will yield \$111,750,000 and the corporation tax \$133,000,000. He boosts the customs revenues also to \$230,000,000 in his mind. In 1918 the secretary expects to have one billion, seven million to spend; on the heels of which he will borrow three hundred million to meet the deficit.

If peace comes and the naval program is reduced this great outlay will not be required.

WILL CELEBRATE SUNDAY.

The B'Nai Briths will celebrate Sunday evening at the lodge rooms in the Odd Fellow's building. Ernek Beszech lodge No. 61 will observe B'Nai Brith day. A banquet will be served at the Wayne hotel at 5:30 o'clock. Members will march to the lodge rooms where a class of candidates will be initiated. Rabbi Samuel Herschberg, formerly of this city, will speak.

Twenty-three operations are necessary in the washing and ironing of a collar.

Fresh or canned cranberry is useful for cleaning aluminum cooking utensils. One or two stalks, either fresh or canned, cut in small pieces, are added to each quart of water and boiled in the discolored kettle until it is clean.

January Clearance Sale

Our entire stock of Winter Corsets, Brassieres, and other Accessories has been marked down to cost price—we must dispose of this stock immediately.

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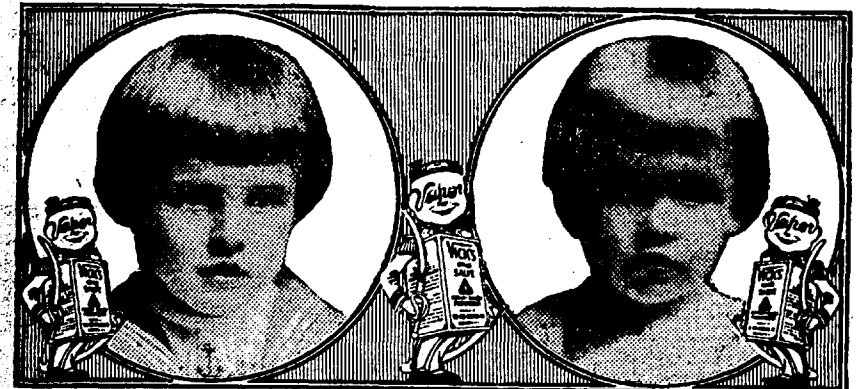
\$2.50 Men's Pants, to close out... \$1.99
\$1.00 Boys' Pants, to close out... 75c
50c Men's Work Shirts, to close out 39c
\$1.50, \$1.25 best Overalls, all sizes 90c, 75c
10c Men's Dress Shirts, sample 5c
10c Men's Dress and Work Hose 5c pair
25c Men's Wool Hose, special, 19c pair
60c all Wool Hose, special... 25c pair
\$3.50, \$5.00 Baby Coat, best bargain, sizes 2 to 6... \$3.25
\$5.00 to \$10.00 Misses Coat, size 8 to 14... \$1.99 to \$3.50
\$6.00 Best Silk Skirt, bargain... \$4.40
\$6.00 Best Ladies' Waist, all colors and sizes... 35c
\$1.50 Best Ladies' Waist, all colors and sizes... 95c, 75c, 25c
\$1.50 Best Ladies' House Dress, 25c
\$2.00, \$1.50 Ladies' Kid Gloves, bargain, special 2 for... 1.25, \$1.50 pair
10c O. N. T. Thread, 10 for... 50c box
10c Barber Towels, special... 40c doz.
30c Bath Towels, special... 23c
Ladies' Corset, on the old price, 50c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75. Save money on these prices. All bargains.

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"But the best part about this 'Little Bodyguard'—VapoRub, is that it is applied externally and hence can be used freely, with perfect safety, on the smallest child, as often as wished. Three size, 25c, 50c or \$1.00.

Keep a Little Body-Guard in YOUR home"

VICK'S VAPORUB SALVE

DR. G. S. BLISS TO SPEAK ON "WHAT WE OWE THE DEFECTIVE."



Much interest is being taken in the Dr. George S. Bliss series of addresses being delivered each Sunday evening at the First Presbyterian church on "What We Owe." Charles M. Niezer began the series last Sunday evening when he spoke on "What We Owe the Boy." On next Sunday evening Dr. George S. Bliss, superintendent of the Indiana school for feeble minded youth, and an authority, will speak on "What We Owe the Defective." In view of the fact that care of the defectives has been a matter of special investigation in this state, the subject is one of great interest. There are 9,000 defectives in the state institutions, their care and maintenance

costing over a million dollars a year. No man in the central states is better able to discuss this vasty important subject than Dr. Bliss.

On Sunday evening, Jan. 21, Dr. J. A. Leonard, superintendent of the Ohio state reformatory at Mansfield, Ohio, will speak on "Why These Broken Vessels or What We Owe the Criminal." Dr. Leonard is a recognized authority on this subject and is a good talker.

On the last Sunday night in this month Abraham Brown, emigration secretary of the Young Men's Christian association, of Chicago, will speak on "What We Owe the Emigrant."

TWELVE DEATHS OCCUR.

Nogales, Ariz., Jan. 12.—Twelve deaths have occurred among the troops of the Alabama national guard since their arrival here two months ago, according to an official statement made today by the military authorities. This statement followed the publication of

a letter written by J. G. Crane, of Nogales, to James M. Burke, of Visalia, Cal., in which it was said there had been an average of five deaths a day among the Alabama troops of pneumonia.

China yearly imports \$4,000,000 worth of various kinds of leather.

BOY WHO SAYS THAW WHIPPED HIM.



Frederick Gump, the 19-year-old boy of Long Beach, Cal., and Kansas City, Mo., the central figure in the new Harry Thaw accusation. Young Gump's charges that Thaw induced him to go to New York, took him to a hotel and whipped him, started the new search for the slayer of Stanford White, which ended with the discovery of Thaw's attempt at suicide in Philadelphia.

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The Fort Wayne Horse and Mule Market will have its Opening Sale Saturday, January 13, 1917, and will continue every two weeks during the year on Saturdays. Any one wanting to dispose of horses will be charged \$1.00 to enter sale and \$2.00 more if sold. Will have horses and mares on hand at all times at private sale. All horses must be as represented or money refunded. Will have good buyers at all sales from the big markets.

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MAY OPEN FIGHT ON GOODRICH OIL BILL

But Caucus Sentiment is for Aiding All Measures for Economy.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 12.—While no attempt was made to take caucus action on Governor Goodrich's legislative program by democratic senators in conference at the Claypool hotel yesterday, it was indicated at the meeting that a few of his bills will be opposed-unanimously by the democratic side of the state senate. This is particularly true of the Goodrich state oil inspection bill, which was introduced yesterday, and for which it is probable none of the democrats will vote. This bill would do away with a large force of deputies and mean a substantial saving.

The democratic senators expressed the opinion in conference that they will not vote against the Goodrich bills merely because they are Goodrich bills. Some of the bills, including the oil inspection measure, they designate as "political." The senators, so far as the caucus is concerned, will be left free to act for themselves. It is now indicated, although developments may arise which would change that policy.

The statement of members from the democratic side was that they will not oppose any measure that is drafted in the interest of economy, and that they will co-operate with Governor Goodrich in any non-political way for establishing economy. They did not say why they believed the oil measure was not an economical measure.

Oil Bill Opposed.
The state oil inspection bill, it is certain, is not one of those which they desire to support at this time. It is now indicated that opposition will develop when the measure comes up. Democratic members of the senate offer the argument that the bill is in the interests of getting some sixty democratic deputy oil inspectors in various parts of the state out of a job, and for that reason they can not see their way clear to support it.

Senator J. R. Fleming, democratic caucus chairman, said last night that when Thomas R. Marshall was governor he permitted the republicans to hold the oil department for two years. He said that Governor Goodrich ought to extend the same courtesy to the democrats.

Senate committee judiciary held a meeting yesterday afternoon to consider the bill presented by Senator Robinson, president pro tem, to abolish the oil inspection department. The committee discussed the bill informally and then side-stepped a decision on its merits by deciding to do nothing until it is printed.

Public Hearing Desired.
The democratic members want a public hearing on the bill. The oil inspection department is presided over by J. O. Behmeyer, of Tipton, a democrat. The democratic senators propose to fight to hold these jobs for the members of their party for two years. It was said after the caucus that the Goodrich program was discussed in a general way. So far as democratic leaders now know there will be no measures on which there will be caucus action, but the party will vote together on certain measures which they deem to be of a political character.

One of the democratic leaders said the members of his party are as anxious to make a record for economy as are the members of the republican side, and that they will not vote against economy bills when they are drawn purely in the interest of economy.

CHILDREN ASKED TO HONOR BUFFALO BILL

Movement for Monument to Col. Cody by Pupils is Launched.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 12.—School children of America, to whom Col. W. F. Cody (Buffalo Bill) was a hero and who he lived in turn, will contribute the money to erect a monument over his grave, on Lookout mountain. Admirers of the famed scout in Denver and in the east, have suggested that no more fitting tribute could be paid to the man who brought the last great west down to the present.

The plan provides that no child will be permitted to contribute more than five cents, thus placing it in the power of practically every youngster of school age to participate in the testimonial.

Practically the entire personnel of federal troops now on duty at Fort Logan, near here, will turn out to participate in the funeral on Sunday of Col. Cody. It was announced today. Adj. Gen. Harry P. Gamble accepted an invitation to have a detachment of the Colorado national guard in the cortege.

The Colorado legislature today passed a joint resolution originating in the senate, expressing the deep appreciation and respect felt for Col. Cody by the people of Colorado and opening the state capitol on Sunday forenoon for his body to lie in state.

The funeral services are to be conducted by the Elks, who will have charge of the body from the time it leaves the capitol until the services are concluded, but from that moment until it is laid in its rock hewn tomb at the summit of Lookout mountain next Decoration day, it will be in the custody of the Masonic order.

Honorary pallbearers named last night, with all of whom Col. Cody saw service, are Gens. George R. Randall, Frank D. Baldwin, John Pope and Col. D. Monahan. The Episcopal funeral service, the Grand Army service and the Elks' service will be read at the funeral. Only the Elks will escort the body to the receiving vault. The mayors of Cody, Wyo., and North Platt, Neb., where Col. Cody lived for many years, and the governor of Wyoming were asked to attend the funeral.

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Odds and ends of many different styles; beautifully trimmed with lace and embroidery—some lace and some with embroidery founce; \$1.98 to \$5.00; all for.....\$1.00

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Odds and ends, lace trimmed and embroidery, \$1 to \$2; all at.....49c

Combination—

Drawer, Corset and Skirt; handsomely trimmed; \$2.50 to \$5.00, all at.....\$1.49
Another lot at.....69c

Gowns—

Odds and ends; beautifully lace trimmed; slip-over gowns; \$2.00 to \$5.00; all at.....\$1.69
Another lot, \$1.50 to \$1.75 at.....98c
High neck, long sleeve gowns, \$1.00, at.....50c

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Only a very few left for this sale. Colors rose, blue and tan. Regular \$6.98 values, very specially priced at

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25c

45c Quality Nainsook

Fine grade at a very timely saving, at per yard

29c

White Gabardine on Sale

36 inches wide; now is the time to get the special price; per yard

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WAX CONFRONTS RAE TANZER IN N. Y. COURT

Identified Girl in Oliver Osborne Damage Suit as His Companion.

New York, Jan. 12.—Charles H. Wax, who makes perfect harmony with James W. Osborne by singing in legal numbers that it was he, not James W. Osborne, who held hands with Rae Tanzer under the nom d'amour of "Oliver Osborne," made his long expected debut as a witness for the government at the yesterday afternoon session of the retrial for perjury of Franklin D. Safford.

Five minutes after "Oliver" had adorned the witness chair Special Prosecutor William Rand Jr. had Rae Tanzer brought into the courtroom. Although this gave her the first chance she had had of seeing "Oliver" since his arrival from Chicago, Dec. 5, she did not utter any exclamation of joy. Five minutes after Miss Tanzer had perched her tiny self on a settee Mr. Rand asked Wax if he saw her in the room. Wax craned his neck, focussed his eyes on her, and said he did. Five minutes later after Wax

said he had visited Rae Tanzer's apartment often and had taken her to restaurants and theaters and frequently had seen her when her cousin was a member of the party, Mr. Rand had a young woman of dark complexion, dressed in mourning, brought in. "Do you know this woman?" he asked Wax. "Yes," was the reply, "I don't know

her name, but she is Miss Tanzer's cousin. I am positive." Miss Tanzer was in court thirty minutes. She had heard Wax testify that he met Rae Tanzer in the early part of October, 1914, in the subway; that he went to her home on many occasions, that he took her to the Hotel Kensington, and that he wrote letters which he either mailed or handed to her. Miss Tanzer, by leaving court, missed

Wax's identification of the register of the Knickerbocker hotel, at Twenty-fifth street and Third avenue, and of an entry on it which he said he made when he and Miss Tanzer were guests there.

Argentina has nearly 3,000,000 inhabitants. This is nearly twice as many as in 1895.

New Jersey factories employ 232,000 operatives.

UNITED STATES SUBMARINE AT HAVANA.



The United States submarine L-2 is here shown in the harbor at Havana, Cuba. When the submarine is ready, city officials of Havana went aboard to inspect it.

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INDIA NEVER BEFORE WAS SO PROSPEROUS

Still Poor, by Western Standards, But is Now Advancing.

Simla, India, Dec. 10.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—Travelers in India today constantly hear business men make the statement that never has India been so prosperous. Sir William Meyer, minister of finance, says:

"Economically India is more prosperous than she ever was before. According to western ideas she is still a very poor country, but she is advancing, as I can testify after a service of thirty-five years here. There has been great development in India's agricultural and industrial enterprises, and the government has just recently taken another step in the appointment of a strong commission to consider the possibilities of further industrial development."

"Since 1900 the progress has been remarkable. Between 1900 and 1910 the number of cotton mills increased from 177 to 210 and the persons employed from 145,000 to 215,000. The production of yarn rose from 343,000,000 to 593,000,000 pounds, and of woven goods from 95,000,000 to 215,000,000 pounds. Jute mills increased in number from 36 to 60 and the persons employed from 110,000 to 204,000. Further, the percentage of manufactured goods imported into India as compared with the total imports has been steadily falling, while the per cent of manufactured goods among the exports has been simultaneously rising. Agriculture, of course, is the main industry of the country, and during the ten years under question the net area estimated to be under crops rose from 180,000,000 to 232,000,000 acres."

"We have suffered, naturally, in various directions from the war and at one time we were threatened with crises affecting the cultivators in respect of the jute and cotton industries. These have, however, been successfully surmounted and at present these industries are in prosperous condition, and the cotton crop in particular is getting very good prices for its produce."

As to how the additional wealth which has accrued to India was distributed, Sir William said:

"A good deal of money is hoarded, since the traditions which grew up during many generations of insecure government are not easily shaken, but deposits in banks have increased considerably. There has been a very considerable increase in the standard of comfort of the people, and the rise in prices, which has occurred in India as well as in western countries, has materially benefited her agricultural and industrial population, though it has pressed hardly on members of the professional middle classes. There are also a certain number of capitalists—mill-owners, jute manufacturers and the like—who make in some years very large profits. The fact remains, however, that taking India as a whole, she is still very poor as compared with western standards."

THE HABIT OF TAKING COLD.

With many people taking cold is a habit, but fortunately one that is easily broken. Take a cold sponge bath every morning when you first get out of bed—not ice cold, but a temperature of about 90 degrees F. Also sleep with your window up. Do this and you will seldom take cold. When you do take cold take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and get rid of it as quickly as possible. Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

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Glass of hot water before breakfast daily keeps the doctor away.

Sanitary science has of late made rapid strides with results that are of untold blessing to humanity. The latest application of this untiring research is the recommendation that it is as necessary to attend to internal sanitation of the drainage system of the human body as it is to the drains of the house.

Those of us who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when we arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should, each morning, before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins, thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water with limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the phosphate hot water is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs. The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, biliousness, stomach trouble, rheumatic stiffness, others who have sallow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced rank on the subject of internal sanitation.—Advertisement.

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The Economical Man--The Man who knows the value of a dollar as well as the value of clothes is the man who is taking advantage of this big clothing sale, by stocking up for next Fall and Winter.

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And This in the Face of Soaring Prices Means Double Savings to You.

Over 1,000 Men's and Young Men's Fancy Suits and Overcoats have been taken from our regular stock where the lots have been broken in sizes.

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Suits and Overcoats that sold up to and including \$18; your choice

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One lot Men's Shirts, regular \$1.00 values

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One lot Boys' Knicker Suits, up to \$10 values

=\$4.50=

Lot No. 3

Suits and Overcoats that sold up to and including \$25; your choice

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One lot Boys' Knicker Suits, up to \$15 values

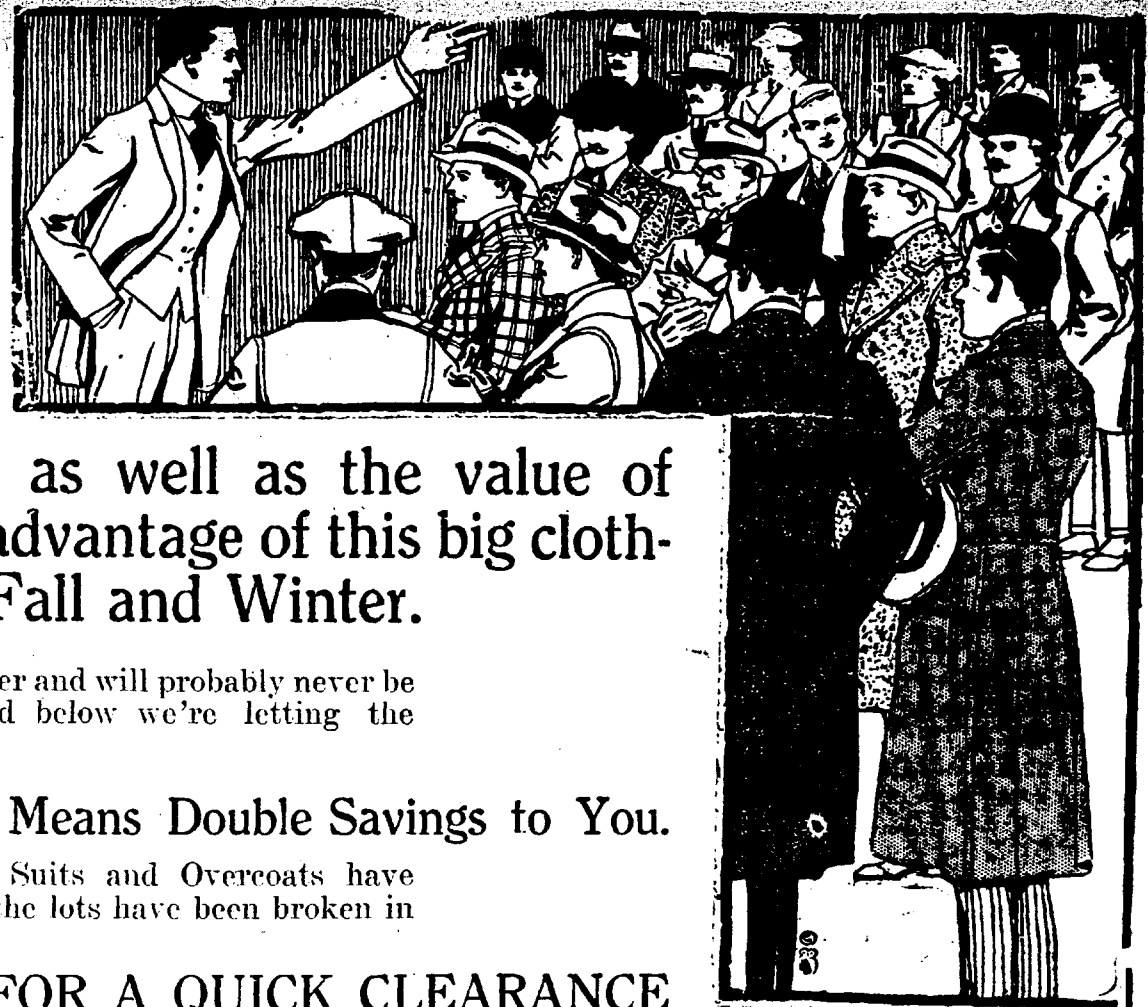
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Boys' Russian Wash Suits that sold up to and including \$3.00;

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Fort Wayne Folk in Our Exchanges

Decatur Democrat: Mr. and Mrs. Levi Gross returned today noon to Fort Wayne. They visited here with their daughter, Mrs. Rosella Smith.

Kendallville News-Sun: Mrs. Donald Detroit, of Fort Wayne, has been visiting with Mrs. Charles Helmuth for several years.

Piercetown Record: Mrs. Everett Burnsworth went to Fort Wayne, on Friday, for a visit with her uncle, Jesse Hull. Mrs. Nancy Richards went to Fort Wayne on Friday, for a visit with her son, Percy Hull. Mrs. G. W. McDaniel went to Fort Wayne, on Wednesday, for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Kern.

Van Wert Bulletin: Mrs. J. P. McCleery, of Fort Wayne, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer L. Lorber, yesterday.

Columbia City Commercial-Mail: Lieut. Ray P. Harrison, accompanied his sister, Mrs. Ruth Burton, to Fort Wayne, Wednesday afternoon, for a visit with their cousin, Mrs. W. E. Davis, and in the evening Mr. Harrison will attend a charity ball given in the Anthony hotel.

Bluffton News: Jas. Ainsworth, of Fort Wayne, Ind., was at the Blackman sanitarium, yesterday.

Waterloo Press: Miss Bayon Chapman, of Fort Wayne, has been visiting her cousin, Miss Laura Chapman, this week—Harry Loewenstein, of Fort Wayne, was in Waterloo last week looking after a car load of horses.

Antwerp Bee-Argus: Mrs. Ida Hill was among those that visited Fort Wayne from this place, Wednesday, where she spent the day with her daughter, Mrs. John Brown, and other relatives.

Bluffton Banner: Mr. Kelsey, of the Public Savings company, of Fort Wayne, was here yesterday settling the death claim of Mrs. John Coover. She had insurance of more than \$200 in two companies.

Portland Sun: Mr. and Mrs. Francis Doyle, of Fort Wayne, are in the city, called here by the death of the ladies' father, Harvey Swanner.

Huntington Herald: Homer Swihart and daughter, Mildred, of Fort Wayne, are visiting at the P. M. Starbuck home on Front street. Mrs. Lydia Hiatt, of Mt. Etna, will come to Huntington Wednesday to visit at the Swihart home until over Sunday.

ANDREWS NEWS.

Andrews, Ind., Jan. 12.—(Henry Kantz has been visiting relatives in Kokomo.)

Merville Sprowl has sold his blacksmith shop to Samuel Pressler. Mr. Sprowl will move to Huntington where he has employment.

Arthur Pults was home from Ohio a few days.

Mrs. Dan Zintmaster, of Marion, spent a few days at the home of her brother, Nathan W. Ehret.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Glaze spent a few days last week at the home of his mother in Francisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harnish entertained relatives from Toledo a few days last week.

Miss Clara Streit was home from Coesse a few days last week.

C. E. Endicott, R. A. Woodbeck and Karl Runyan left for Chicago Tuesday in the interest of the Washburn-Endicott company.

Mrs. Victor Rudik, of south of town,

spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. W. E. Sharp, here.

James Linn, of Wabash, was a visitor here Saturday.

Samuel McDaniel has moved into the Hart property, east of town, from the S. E. Schofield farm, west of town. Medadams Daniel Zintmaster and Clinton Close, of Huntington, were Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Taylor.

Miss Ida Ellison has returned to Ligonier after spending several days with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elden Pence, of Ash-ton, Idaho, are visiting his sister, Mrs. Lee Thompson, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Park spent Sunday with friends in Huntington.

Henry P. Beck will move his family into the Snowden property on McKee street.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Collier, of Marion, were Sunday visitors here.

C. Frisinger will move his family into the Walters property on Main street recently vacated by Dr. Goodrich.

Mrs. D. A. Taylor is on the sick list. Miss Christie Fisher was in Huntington Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Warren spent Sunday at the Orville Hoch home, south of town.

Mrs. Walter Cogswell was a Huntington caller Tuesday afternoon.

Karl Shaw has been detained at his home by sickness a few days this week.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Most Effective.

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HOLLAND SEEMS TO BE STEADILY SINKING

Geological Experts Are Beginning to View Case With Alarm.

The Hague, Netherlands, Dec. 25.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—It may not materially affect the present generation or the next, but if the land level of Holland continues to sink, there is danger of the subsidence becoming so great that, despite all the progress of engineering science, it will be impossible to much longer continue the present ceaseless struggle with the waters. That is the view expressed before the Geological Mining Society for Holland and its colonies by Professor Molengraaff, of the Polytechnic University of Delft, who is the foremost Dutch geological authority.

A large part of the Netherlands, particularly the western and northwestern provinces, lies some feet below the level of the sea, which is only kept from overflowing hundreds of square miles of land by the natural barrier of the long line of sand dunes that fringes the coast, reinforced at two or three points by artificial means.

The level of rivers and many of the canals in such regions are likewise higher than the surrounding country, being held in check by the dikes and embankments that are maintained at great pains and correspondingly high cost by the nation. Naturally, therefore, the question of the continued, if very gradual, fall of the land level bears an important aspect in the eyes of the Dutch people, and it has recently been the subject of discussion among expert geologists and hydrographical engineers.

"If," declares Professor Molengraaff, "the subsidence is of such a nature that within reasonable time a position of equilibrium comes about, then the cost of keeping the land drained will become so high that there will no longer be much advantage attached to its possession, albeit there are always historical and sentimental arguments for that. If, however, the total expenditure should exceed the total income, then the common sense of the Dutch people would lead them to withdraw to higher regions."

Opinions differ on the question of whether the ground is still sinking, and what influences are responsible for such a phenomenon. Some experts, like the civil engineer, D. H. S. Blaupot ten Cate, suppose that the fall is a consequence of what happened in the middle tertiary period. Mr. ten Cate's theory is that Holland is built up on alluvial mud flats, which still participate in various movements of the soil. Some authorities believe that a material subsidence is still taking place, while others, again, are of

the opinion that the phenomena observed are a consequence of certain movements of the sea level, whereby various influences of another nature play a role, that the sea level alters, but that the land itself does not sink.

Another civil engineer, J. C. Rammer, is convinced from the results of water gauge observations that there has been a subsidence of the land of Holland as well as of that of bordering countries and the greater part of the British Isles. He says it may be deduced from the entire list of such observations that there has been an average subsidence of 30 centimeters per century, declining farther inland to 15 centimeters. That a very considerable subsidence is taking place at the present time in the polders or drained basins of the Netherlands in his opinion is undeniable.

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Burton was Nervously Sick, at Work, at Home, at Recreation.

He couldn't sleep well—he had hideous, startling dreams when he did—he was gloomy and listless—absent-minded, cross, irritable—suffered with dizziness, trembling of the limbs, cold extremities, became awkward, self-conscious and possessed fear and a general inability to make good at his work or anywhere he went, on business or pleasure bent. Physically and Mentally, Burton was almost a nervous wreck; his muscles became flabby, he became weakened and demoralized, he lacked ambition and he was alarmed, because he had reached a stage where he thought there was no help, but as he writes: "upon a friend's advice I tried Cadomene Tablets."

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French Lynx, were \$19.75; now.....	\$10.00
Black Fox, were \$29.75; now.....	\$15.00
Black Fox, were \$45.00; now.....	\$25.00
Mink, were \$69.75; now.....	\$35.00
Jap Mink, were \$29.75; now.....	\$15.00
Marten, were \$29.75; now.....	\$15.00
Marten, were \$50.00; now.....	\$25.00
Hudson Seal, were \$29.75; now.....	\$15.00
Hudson Seal, were \$35.00; now.....	\$18.25
Natural Mole, were \$50.00; now.....	\$25.00
Natural Mole, were \$59.75; now.....	\$29.75

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Near Seal Coats, were \$139.50; now.....	\$69.75
Hudson Seal Coats, were \$150.00; now.....	\$75.00
Hudson Seal Coats, were \$200.00; now.....	\$100.00
Hudson Seal Coats, were \$225.00; now.....	\$112.50
Hudson Seal Coats, were \$275.00; now.....	\$137.50
Hudson Seal Coats, (trimmed), were \$250.00; now.....	\$125.00

FUR SCARFS

French Lynx, were \$12.50; now.....	\$ 6.25
Black Fox, were \$29.75; now.....	\$15.00
Black Fox, were \$39.75; now.....	\$19.75
Mink, were \$19.75; now.....	\$13.75
Jap Mink, were \$19.75; now.....	\$10.00
Red Fox, were \$15.00; now.....	\$ 7.50
Red Fox, were \$29.75; now.....	\$15.00
Hudson Seal, were \$50.00; now.....	\$25.00
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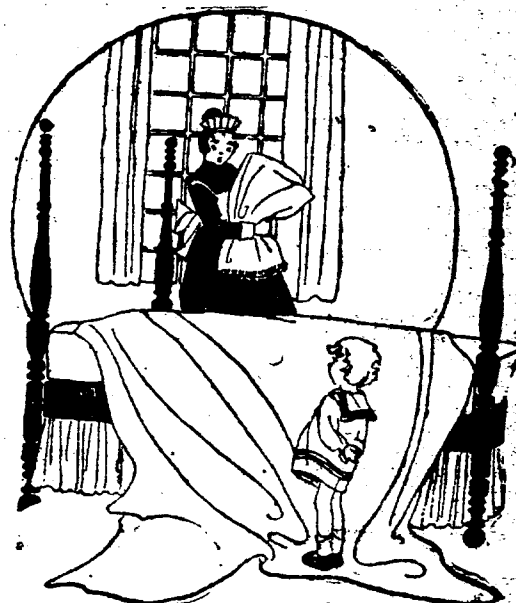
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These Pretty Sateen Petticoats on Sale Today and Saturday at 89c

They're made of good quality sateen, in fashionable shades of plum, bottle green, robin's egg blue, navy and black. The deep flounce is of figured sateen in harmonizing colors. Regular \$1.25 values; on special for today and Saturday.....

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Broken lines of corsets in various well known makes; regularly priced at \$1.75, \$2 and \$2.50; on sale today and Saturday..... \$1.48

Broken lines of our best makes of corsets, including Mme. Irene, Mme. Lyra, P. N., Wolf & Dessauer Special and other makes; regularly priced at \$5.00, \$6.50 and \$7.50; on special sale today and Saturday..... \$3.89

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Regular \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50 Brasseries; all lace over net and embroidery and lace trimmed models; today and Saturday..... \$1.98



A Collection of Broken Lines of Women's UNDERWEAR At Half Price

Women's Knit Garments in incomplete size ranges and broken lines—also a collection of slightly soiled garments at HALF PRICE. Also one lot of Women's Vests; regular 35c values, at 25c. All other knit goods at 10 Per Cent. Less.

Now Is The Time for Outing Flannel

Here are the kinds that are much liked for women's night gowns and petticoats, men's pajamas and all sorts of winter underwear. In light, dark and medium stripes and checks. By buying now, during this sale, women will save about one-third what this flannel will sell for next winter.

Outing Flannels—Light and dark ground—	
Regular \$ 1/2c grade.....	7c
Regular 10c grade.....	8c
Regular 15c grade.....	11c
Light and Dark Flannelettes—	
Regular 12 1/2c grade.....	9c
Regular 15c grade.....	10c

There Are So Many Big Opportunities On the Second Floor, We Cannot Attempt to Feature Them!

Women's Coats \$5.00 Values up to \$10.00.	Women's Coats \$9.95 Values up to \$15.00.	Plush Coats \$19.50 Values up to \$30.00.	Serge Dresses \$6.75 Values up to \$15.00.	Evening Dresses \$10 Values up to \$25.00.
Women's Coats \$7.50 Values up to \$12.50.	Vel. & Corduroy Coats \$13.95 Values up to \$25.00.	Women's Suits \$6.50 (Small Sizes Only.)	Cloth and Silk Dresses \$12.50 Values up to \$25.00.	Silk Dresses \$15 Values up to \$30.00.

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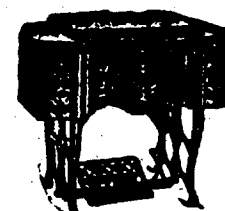
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We will buy your old machine on the Cabinet Free.

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A Singer (7-drawer oak, not second hand) for \$35.00.

Needles for all makes of machines.



The January Sale of Warm Bed Coverings Takes the Keen Edge Off This Cold Snap

Bed coverings of splendid quality, that were exceptional values at their former prices, now sharply reduced for this January clearance:

All Comforts, Pillows and Auto Robes at January Sale Prices.

Full Size Cotton Blankets; regular \$1.35 grade, pair.....	\$1.19
Cotton Blankets, full size, with fancy border; regular \$1.89 grade, pair.....	\$1.69
Wool Nap Blankets, soft and fluffy; regular \$2.50 values, pair.....	\$2.25
Handsome Plaid Wool Blankets, in all colors; regular \$7.50 values, pair.....	\$6.15
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THE ALLIES' NOTE



Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Following is the translation of the entente allies' reply to President Wilson's peace note, transmitted to the state department by Ambassador William G. Sharp in Paris:

"Ambassador Sharp to the Secretary of State, American Embassy, Paris, Jan. 10, 1917.

"The allied governments have received the note which was delivered to them in the name of the government of the United States on the 19th of December, 1916. They have studied it with the care imposed upon them both by the exact realization which they have of the gravity of the hour and by the sincere friendship which attaches them to the American people.

For Insurance of Peace.

"In a general way they wish to declare that they pay tribute to the elevation of the sentiment with which the American note is inspired and that they associate themselves with all their hopes with the project for the creation of a league of nations to insure peace and justice throughout the world.

"They recognize all the advantages for the cause of humanity and civilization which the institution of international agreements destined to avoid violent conflicts between nations would prevent; agreements which must imply the sanctions necessary to insure their execution and thus to prevent an apparent security from only facilitating new aggressions.

Blame Central Powers.

"But a discussion of future arrangements destined to insure an enduring peace presupposes a satisfactory settlement of the actual conflict. The allies have as profound a desire as the government of the United States to terminate as soon as possible a war for which the central empires are responsible and which inflicts such cruel sufferings upon humanity, but they believe that it is impossible at the present moment to attain a peace which will assure them reparation, restitution, and such guarantees to which they are entitled by the aggression for which the responsibility rests with the central powers and of which the principle itself tended to ruin the security of Europe; a peace which would, on the other hand, permit the establishment of the future of European nations on a solid basis.

Fighting for Humanity.

"The allied nations are conscious that they are not fighting for selfish interests, but above all to safeguard the independence of peoples, of right and of humanity.

"The allies are fully aware of the losses and suffering which the war causes to neutrals as well as to belligerents, and they deplore them; but they do not hold themselves responsible for them, having in no way either willed or provoked this war, and they strive to reduce these dam-

ages in the measure compatible with the inexorable exigencies of their defense against the violence and the wiles of the enemy.

Understand United States Position.

"It is with satisfaction, therefore, that they take note of the declaration that the American communication is in nowise associated in its origin with that of the central powers transmitted on the 15th of December by the government of the United States. They did not doubt, moreover, the resolution of that government to avoid even the appearance of a support, even moral, of the authors responsible for the war.

"The allied governments believe that they must protest in the most friendly, but in the most specific manner against the assimilation established in the American note between the two groups of belligerents; this assimilation, based upon public declarations by the central powers, is in direct opposition to the evidence, both as regards responsibility for the past and as concerns guarantees for the future; President Wilson in mentioning it certainly had no intention of associating himself with it.

Onus of War on Germany.

"If there is an historical fact established at the present date, it is the willful aggression of Germany and Austria-Hungary to insure their hegemony over Europe and their economic domination over the world. "Germany proved by her declaration of war, by the immediate violation of Belgium and Luxembourg, and by her manner of conducting the war, her simulating contempt for all principles of humanity and all respect for small states; as the conflict developed the attitude of the central powers and their allies has been a continual defiance of humanity and civilization.

Cites Enemy's Atrocities.

"Is it necessary to recall the horrors which accompanied the invasion of Belgium and of Serbia, the atrocious regime imposed upon the invaded countries, the massacre of hundreds of thousands of inoffensive Armenians, the barbarities perpetrated against the populations of Syria, the raids of Zeppelins on open towns, the destruction by submarines of passenger steamers and of merchantmen even under neutral flags, the cruel treatment inflicted upon prisoners of war, the juridical murders of Miss Cavell, of Captain Fryatt, the deportation and reduction to slavery of civil populations, etc.

"The execution of such a series of crimes perpetrated without any regard for universal reprobation fully explains to President Wilson the protest of the allies.

Repeat Reply to Berlin.

"They consider that the note which they sent to the United States in reply to the German note will be a response to the questions put by the American

government and according to the exact words of the latter, constitute a 'public declaration as to the conditions upon which the war could be terminated.'

"President Wilson desires more: He desires that the belligerent power openly affirm the objects which they seek by continuing the war; the allies experience no difficulty in replying to this request.

"The objects in the war are well known; they have been formulated on many occasions by the chiefs of their divers governments. Their objects in the war will not be made known in detail, with all the equitable compensations and indemnities for damages suffered, until the hour of negotiations.

End of War Means —

"But the civilized world knows that they imply in all necessity and in the first instance the restoration of Belgium of Serbia and of Montenegro and the indemnities which are due them; the evacuation of the invaded territories of France, of Russia, and of Rumania, with just reparation; the reorganization of Europe guaranteed by a stable regime and founded as much upon respect of nationalities and full security and liberty of economic development which all nations, great or small, possess as upon territorial conventions and international agreements suitable to guarantee territorial and maritime frontiers against unjustified attacks; the restitution of provinces or territories wrested in the past from the allies by force or against the will of their populations; the liberation of Italians, of Slavs, of Rumanians, and of Teheco Slovaques (Czech Slavs) from foreign domination; the enfranchisement of populations subject to the bloody tyranny of the Turks; the expulsion from Europe of the Ottoman empire decidedly . . . (apparent omission) to western civilization.

Goal Is Peace for World.

"The intentions of his majesty the emperor of Russia regarding Poland have been clearly indicated in the proclamation which he has just addressed to his armies.

"It goes without saying that if the allies wish to liberate Europe from the brutal covetousness of Prussian militarism it never has been their design, as has been alleged, to encompass the extermination of the German peoples and their political disappearance.

"That which they desire above all is to insure a peace upon the principles of liberty and justice, upon the inviolable fidelity to international obligation with which the government of the United States has never ceased to be inspired.

"United in the pursuit of this supreme object, the allies are determined, individually and collectively, to act with all their power and to consent to all sacrifices to bring to a victorious

close a conflict upon which they are convinced not only their own safety and prosperity depends but also the future of civilization itself.

"SHARP."

FORTMEYER IS FIRST.

Allen County Boy Wins Prize in State Corn Show Boys' Contest.

Paul Fortmeyer, of Fort Wayne, is the champion boy corn grower of the state, he having won the honor at the state corn show at Purdue university in connection with the farmers' short course. Fortmeyer took the prizes by over ten points also in section one, which includes the counties north of Allen and west to the state line. He will be given a free trip to Washington. He is a student at the Fort Wayne high school and took the championship

in the boys' contest at the Allen county corn show. Rorick brothers, of this county, won tenth place in section one of the men's contest at the state corn show.

QUEST CLUB TO MEET.

Chicago Man Will Address It at the Wayne Hotel Friday Night.

"The Human Side of the Pay Roll" will be the subject of F. A. Carlisle, of the Freidlander-Brady Knitting Mills, Chicago, who will speak at a meeting of the Quest club to be held at the Wayne hotel Friday night. Mr. Carlisle has been a member of the Western Efficiency society since it was organized and for many years has been on the editorial board of One Hundred Per Cent, the magazine of management circulating among factory executives. The talk will be followed by a discussion.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The stockholders of the Teutonia Building Loan and Savings Association will meet on Tuesday, Jan. 16th, 1917, at 8 p. m. in the court house assembly room.

PAUL RICHTER, President.

CARL J. WEBER, Secretary.

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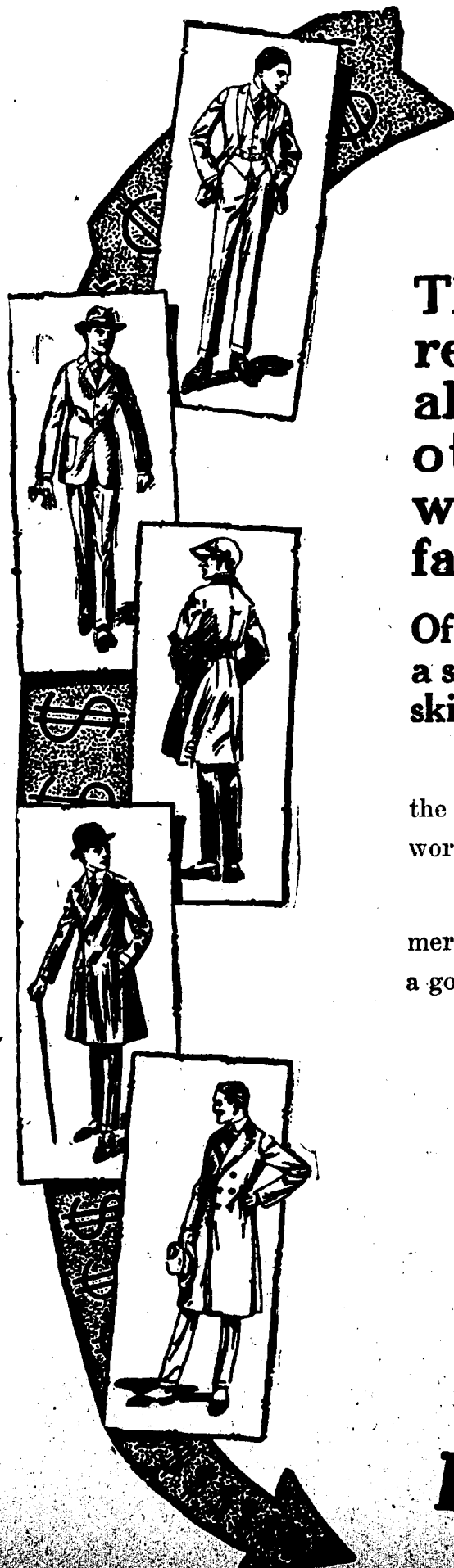
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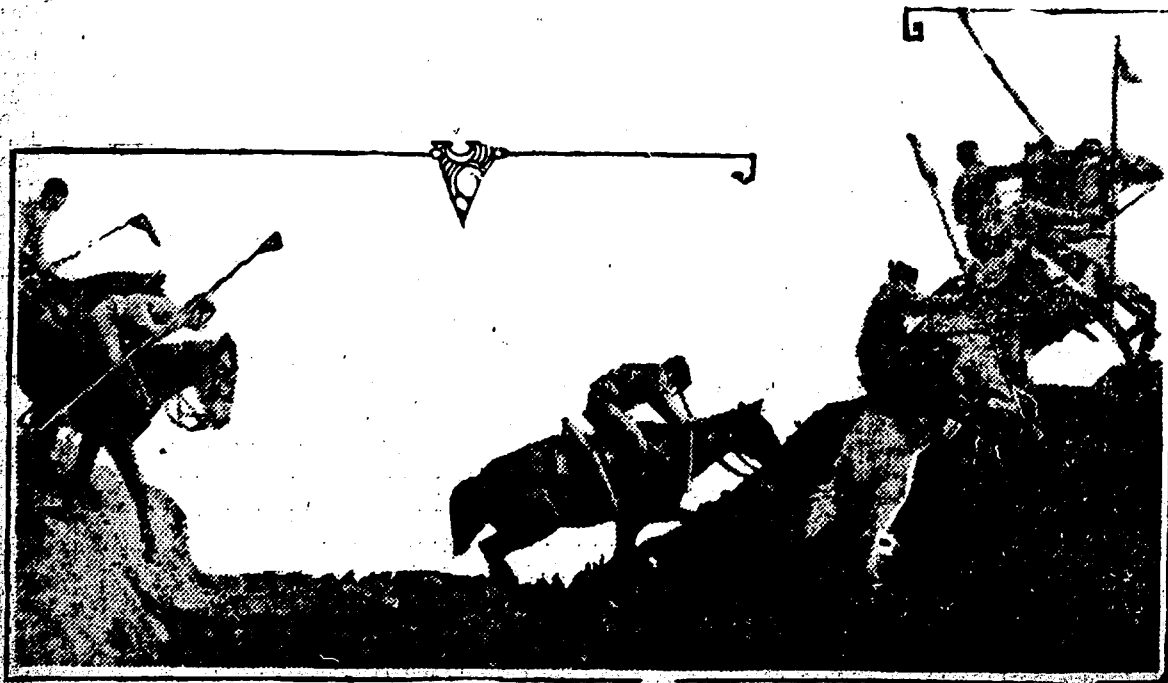
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PORTUGUESE SOLDIERS IN ACTIVE PART IN THE WORLD WAR.



Soldiers of Portugal have just become active, aiding the allies on the western front in France—the first contribution of Portugal in the world war in Europe. The picture shows Portuguese soldiers in action.

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LATEST NEWS

SAYS WIFE WAS AWAY AT ALMOST ALL HOURS

Joe Smith Asks Divorce After Being Separated Since February, 1911.

Joe Smith has filed suit for a divorce from Nora Smith. The couple was married in January of 1908, and separated Feb. 15, 1911. Desertion is alleged. Smith says his wife was away from home at all hours of the night and that she would frequent cafes with men of questionable character, coming home, at times, drunk according to the complaint. Ryan, Ryan & Aldrich are attorneys for the plaintiff.

EMPLOYMENT BUREAU REPORT.

Forty-eight Males Sought Work and Found Places, Report Shows.

Report of the Fort Wayne branch of the state free employment bureau for the week ending January 11 shows that 48 males sought work and that all were placed in positions. A total of 50 persons sought male help of the bureau. The applicants were placed in positions as follows: Laborers, 38; teamsters, 4; butchers, 1; clerks, 1; firemen, 2; foremen, 1; porters, 1. A total of 23 persons sought female help. The women were placed in work as follows: Dishwashers, 5; waitresses, 3; day workers, 2; general housework, 2; housekeepers, 2; laundresses, 2; and stenographers, 2.

DAMAGE SUIT MONDAY.

Suit for \$1,500 of William Dothage Against S. Sandkuhler Coming Up.

Suit for \$1,500 damages of William Dothage against Sam Sandkuhler, alleging the defendant committed an assault on him July 1 last, is scheduled to come up for hearing before a jury in superior court Monday. Dothage, 60, and alleging he is a cripple, says he sustained broken ribs and that his hearing was impaired when the defendant struck him on the head in ejecting him from his saloon at 235 East Main street.

Failure to Provide Alleged.

Princess Snyder has filed suit for a divorce in superior court from David Snyder. The couple was married March 31, 1912 and separated in January, 1917. The plaintiff charges that the defendant cursed her, accused her of associating with other men and failed to provide for her and her children. She bought her own clothes and household goods. The plaintiff says Snyder told her that he did not love her and that he was ashamed to be in public with her. The defendant is charged with keeping late hours leaving the plaintiff to care for their two children. S. A. Callahan is attorney for the plaintiff.

Verdict for \$250.

A jury in circuit court gave Lucetta Lophshire a verdict for \$250 in her suit for \$500 damages against James R. Sturgeon, a farmer, who, the plaintiff alleged, crashed into her beauty parlor in the course of a runaway accident. Lophshire being the driver of a slop wagon.

Could Get Plenty Women.

Pearl Daney, in her suit for divorce against George Daney, a boilermaker at the Pennsylvania company, says her husband boasted of his ability to get plenty of women. The plaintiff sued for divorce last October but Daney, she asserts, urged her to drop the action. Howard Hanthorn is attorney for the plaintiff.

Notes of Courts.

Mary White, who filed suit for \$5,000 damages against Alva Lahrman in superior court, alleging an injury in an auto accident on May 4, has been given judgment for \$500.

The county commissioners have awarded the contract for 600 bushels of potatoes at \$1.87 1/2 a bushel to the Ackerman-Wiener company.

Martha Smith has filed a final report in circuit court as administrator of the estate of William A. Smith. W. N. Balfour is attorney for the plaintiff.

The Wolf Furnace company has filed suit in circuit court against Mary Maloley to foreclose a mechanic's lien. F. H. Kleekamp is attorney for the plaintiff.

Lillian R. Tschannan has filed a petition in circuit court asking that a guardian be appointed for William A. Hamilton, because of infirmities.

Edward M. Puls has filed suit against Carl F. Schory and Nettie Schory to collect \$350 on note. Heaton & Heaton are attorneys for the plaintiff.

The suit of Elvin Hiron, by John E. Hiron, next friend, against Emery Brindle, for damages, has been dismissed in superior court.

Marriage Licenses.

Homor Beberstein, 27, assembler, and Mary T. Miller, 22.

Dan Godau, 25, laborer, and Anna Halman, 18.

Robert B. Johnson, 19, laborer, and Edith E. Webb, 19.

ALLARD IS IMPROVING.

Man Who Was Struck on Head by Brick is Doing Nicely.

James Allard, the employee of the Consumers Ice company who suffered a fractured skull when he was struck on the head by a brick which fell 40 feet, is showing signs of improvement at the Lutheran hospital, where he has been a patient since Tuesday afternoon. It is believed that his condition is such that it is safe to say that he will recover unless complications arise.

SOPHOMORES WIN.

Classmen Cop Good Game from Society Quinets.

The sophomore class basketball five of the Fort Wayne high school won a good game from the society quinet Thursday night by a score of 29 to 17. The sophs are going to make an attempt to play the preliminary to the next varsity game played here.

INJUNCTION MAY STOP VACATING OF STREET

"Hole-in-the-Wall" Houses Must Not Be Transferred, Say Remonstrators.

Will the city vacate the dead end of Weisser Park avenue, north of Wallace street, in order that the Bass Foundry company may build a new plant on the present street site?

Will the foundry company then move three dwelling houses of ancient design from the "Hole in the Wall" district, which faces the street to be vacated, from the present location to lots near the intersection of Buchanan street and Weisser Park avenue?

Bass foundry management says "yes." Sixty residents of the Buchanan-Weisser Park avenue neighborhood clamor "no."

Twenty-five of the remonstrators, who claim that the houses which the Bass company proposes to set in their midst are "shacks" and would be tenanted by undesirable foreigners, appeared before the board of works Thursday night. Women and men were in the indignant company, which filled the board of works office in the city hall. They expressed their opinion of the "disgrace to their community" and the "rank outrage."

The outbreak upon the works board was the culmination of a series of indignation meetings in the Buchanan-Weisser Park avenue neighborhood. Several severe epithets were applied to the Bass foundry plan of transferring the old houses. Robert Kelley, chairman of the works board, wrapped for order time and again.

Councilman Speaks.

Councilman Herman Korte, of the Tenth ward, and ex-Councilman Henry Palmer presented a plan for having the city demand that the Bass foundry management donate the three lots near Buchanan street and Weisser Park avenue for playground use. There are more than a hundred children in the neighborhood who have no open place in which to play, it was pointed out.

"Here is a chance to do the city some good rather than to give Fort Wayne another sore eye," it was said.

The Bass foundry will receive 1,800 square feet of ground, if the dead end of Weisser Park avenue is vacated, it was pointed out to the board. The Bass company can well afford to give the city in return a small plot for a playground, a speaker said.

The Bass company does not drop their plan of moving the old style dwellings to the new neighborhood of the property owners in the region of Buchanan-Weisser Park avenue will enjoin the board of works against allowing the north end of Weisser Park avenue to be vacated, they told the board. In that case it is expected that the board will not give up the street site.

Final hearing on the petition for vacating of the Weisser Park avenue, north of Wallace street, is set for February 8. At that time the property owners, who object to such action, may come before the board for formal protest.

Upon the outcome of an attempt to reconcile the two factions will depend whether the Tenth ward folk return to voice their dissent.

Bass Visits Board.

John H. Bass, accompanied by his secretary, called upon city officials Friday morning. Bass stated emphatically that he would not consent to wrecking of the dwelling houses and giving up of the residence plot for playground use. He is entitled to use of the property as he sees fit, he said, and it would be an economic waste to the city to destroy the good dwellings and allow the building site near Buchanan-Weisser Park avenue to remain vacant.

City Building Inspector Philip Wyss was called into the conference. He pointed out to Bass that expense of moving the structures would amount to more than the buildings are worth. Fact that there would have to be cellars dug, foundations laid, plumbing installed and porches built on the houses, if they were moved, would make it impractical, Wyss told Bass. Wyss has not yet granted that the buildings be moved.

Bass asked that members of the works board and Mayor Hoesy accompany him over the ground in question and allow him to explain exactly what he intended to do with the houses, from the "Hole in the Wall" district.

Members of the board and the mayor, arranged to meet Bass at 2 o'clock at the foundry buildings. They will go over the ground with him while he outlines his proposed plan of transferring the houses.

Opened Streets.

Other business passed by the board of works at the Thursday night session, included vacating of land and opening of streets, in the Elmwood addition, so that streets might be made uniform along Rudisill boulevard. Streets which are to be opened, fifty feet wide, up to the boulevard, are Holton, Reed, Winter, Anthony boulevard.

The board approved primary assessment rolls for the construction of a concrete retaining wall along St. Joe boulevard and the paving of the same thoroughfare.

The board confirmed a plat for the new Enterprise No. 2 addition, near Piqua avenue.

Would Buy Scales.

The board of public safety, which meets Friday night, will be petitioned by Barry Tolan, city scaler, to purchase a set of scales for the market at once. Fact that the price of scales will advance \$10 in price in a few days, is the reason for Tolan's desire that a rush order be sent.

Water Better.

Every sample of city water analyzed by State Chemist Dicks since his stay in Fort Wayne, shows the fluid to be free from germs. Samples gathered on Wednesday show marked

IN MANY AMERICAN HOMES!



Improvement over those gathered from water mains on Tuesday.

Digs is not yet prepared to give out where he thinks is the source of pollution of the city water, he says. He hopes to fix the point where he thinks pollution started and how he believes that the condition can be remedied before he leaves the city on Saturday.

Added air of mystery enters the situation because Dicks found the water clearing up when he came to Fort Wayne. It is the most baffling case that has yet confronted the state chemist, he says.

BIRTH RECORD.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kimalar, 127 East Berry street—a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Byers, 1931 Mauna street—a boy.

LONG WRANGLE OVER QUESTIONS OF LAW

Little Headway Made in Hearing on Charges Against Lee.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 12.—The hearing of the charges against Edwin M. Lee, of the public utilities commission, preferred by Bernard O'Connor, an Indianapolis democrat, was begun before Governor Goodrich in his office today. Practically all of the morning session was taken up with discussion of questions of law.

The scope of the hearing or how long it will last has not been determined. Lee was appointed to the commission by Gov. Ralston, shortly before he retired from office. O'Connor charges that Lee's appointment is not in accordance with the law, which provides that not more than three members of the commission shall be one political party and that Lee is "incompetent" under the meaning of the utilities statute. Lee is former progressive state chairman.

Bertha Greenberg, a stenographer formerly employed at the democratic state headquarters, testified that about a thousand letters signed by Lee, the technical chairman of the progressive party remnant in Indiana, were sealed, delivered and mailed by employees of the democratic state committee at the state headquarters about two weeks prior to the election.

After Miss Greenberg's testimony adjournment was taken to this afternoon.

POLICE PATROL MADE 3585 RUNS LAST YEAR

Ten times a day the big police patrol left its home in the city hall to wander out over the city during 1916, average for 365 days from the year's record shows. In 1916 the wagon answered 3,585 calls. It traveled about 6,051 miles, the record made out by Clerk O'Connor shows.

The auto made 1,706 trips to the county jail during the year. It answered 569 box calls and 1,602 telephone alarms. It made 73 fire runs.

Fifty-four times the wagon was called out to hunt burglars. During the month of May there were 23 burglaries called. The auto made 290 ambulance runs.

SHANK LEADS RAID ON COLUMBIA CLUB

Candidate for Mayor in a Search for Booze at G. O. P. Organization.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 12.—Armed with a search warrant signed by Lew Shank, former mayor of Indianapolis, and announced candidate for the same office again, police today invaded the Columbia club, one of the most exclusive men's clubs in the state, in search of liquor. Shank accompanied the raiding party and grabbed a bottle of liquor off a table.

Two patrol wagons were backed up in front of the club and an additional squad of police sent for. After considerable talk the police took small samples of various liquids found at the club, but did not disturb the stock further. An officer was left on guard and Charles R. Rouser, manager of the club, was placed under arrest under a charge of operating a blind tiger. Shank announced he would get search warrants for other exclusive clubs in the city.

ADDITIONAL CHURCHES

YOUNG LADIES' SOCIETY

Of Emmaus Lutheran Church Elects New Officers.

The Emmaus Young Ladies' society met Wednesday evening in the regular monthly business session and elected officers for the coming year. The newly elected officials are as follows: Frieda Glissman, president; Clara Branning, vice president; Hanna Buock, recording secretary; Anna Lusenhop, financial secretary; Ida Dickmeyer, treasurer.

The Ladies Aid society of the Emmaus church elected new officers at a recent meeting as follows: Mrs. W. Boser, president; Mrs. F. E. Spiegel, vice president; Mrs. F. Kreiselmeier, secretary; Mrs. Chris Daseker, financial secretary; Mrs. E. Koehn, treasurer.

The following committees were appointed: Entertainment, Mesdames William M. Lapp, Henry Roessner, L. Wietfeld, M. Lapp; sewing, Mesdames M. Grotian, August Jaeger, W. Reinling, William Scheele. Mesdames William Valkening, August Schott, H. Krimmel, M. Hobrock, M. Bender and M. Rump were appointed collectors.

The board of directors of Emmaus Young Men's society meets Monday evening, January 15.

Observes Anniversary.

The Tabernacle society of the Emanuel Lutheran church gave its annual banquet, Thursday afternoon, which was attended by ninety-five ladies. Rev. William Moll, pastor of the church, presided and gave a short talk.

MUST RESPECT UNIFORM.

New York, Jan. 12.—Respect must be accorded the uniform of the American sailor equal to that given to the civilian's clothes, the Brooklyn court of special session held today in deciding that Henry Traub, lessee of a Brooklyn theater, had no right to exclude Adolph Gottman, a sailor on the battleship Arkansas. Traub was fined \$250. Thomas F. Cuff, United States district attorney, presented Traub's appeal.

FED DEAD HORSES TO PIGS, IS CHARGE

Health Officer Will Bring Bones Into Court as Evidence.

Health Officer Charles Josse filed affidavits, Friday, against two farmers, charging them with feeding carcasses of dead horses to their pigs. The men will be brought into police court on Monday, it is expected.

Noah Murphy and John Prover, whose farms join and who live four miles from Fort Wayne on the Hicksville road, are the farmers against whom the charges are made. Carcasses of ten horses were found in Murphy's hog lot, Josse says. Pigs were eating at remains of two dead animals in the barn yard of Prover, Josse reports.

Josse gathered bones from the dead horses for evidence. Ribs, to which meat is clinging, and other bones, which Josse declares to be from the horse carcasses, will be presented in police court as evidence.

Josse visited the farms on Thursday afternoon in answer to complaints, which have been made against the two men, he says. The farmers declare that they did not kill the horses, Josse states. Fine for the first offense of this nature is from \$10 to \$30.

NEARLY \$30,000 PAID OUT BY E. M. B. A.

Organization Has Been Running Successfully for Over Nine Years.

When the reports of the Employees' Mutual Benefit association of the Fort Wayne and Northern Indiana Traction company were made out this week they showed that in the time which the organization has been running, a little over nine years, \$29,110 have been paid out. Itemized, the report is as follows: Accidents, \$11,489; sick, \$10,571, and deaths, \$7,050.

The reports show that ninety-six per cent of the employees of the company who are eligible to membership, belong to the association. There are 800 names on the list of the organization.

The E. M. B. A. was organized by the company in October, 1906, and since that time it has grown until it takes in nearly every employee of the company. It has been successfully operated by men elected by the employees and at the present time has a surplus of \$14,238.

DID NOT SPILL MILK.

In order to avert a collision with a loaded milk wagon, C. H. Bicknese, driver for the Becker Motor company, drove a new car against the curb on South Main street, Friday, at noon. One rear wheel of the car was shattered and side of the car damaged. The milk wagon, belonging to the Fort Wayne Dairy company, which Bicknese reports was turning around in the street, was not damaged.

THE DEATHS.

FORMER NAPPANEE WOMAN PASSES AWAY

Mrs. Elmira Schnitz, 62, Dies at Her Home on Dawson street.

Mrs. Elmira Schnitz, aged 62 years, died at 3 o'clock Friday morning at her residence, 415 Dawson street, following an illness due to complication of diseases. She was born in Ohio in 1854 and had resided in Fort Wayne several years, coming to this city from Nappanee. She was a member of the Evangelical church at Nappanee and is survived by one son, Floyd V. of this city; one sister and five brothers.

URBINE.

Bridget Urbine, aged 70 years, died Thursday at her home, Archer and Oakland streets. She had been ill for several years. The deceased was born in France but had resided here for many years. She was a member of St. Vincent's Catholic church. Surviving she leaves a sister, Mary Urbine.

Funeral services Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from Schone & Ankenbruck's parlors and at 9 o'clock at St. Vincent's Catholic church; interment at the church cemetery.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

Buckland—Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Buckland will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Simpson M. E. church; interment at Lindenwood. The ladies of Strik circle, G. A. R., will hold flag services at the church at 1:30 o'clock.

Mullaly—Funeral services for John Mullaly will be held Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock at the Gets & Cahill parlors and at 9 o'clock at St. Patrick's Catholic church; interment at the Catholic cemetery.

Stauffer—Funeral services for Alvin Stauffer will be held Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the residence in Abbot township and at 10 o'clock at the Friendship church.

Auto funeral.

Stalhr—Funeral services for George Stalhr will be held Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock at the residence, 237 East Butler street, and at 9 o'clock at St. Peter's Catholic church; interment at the Catholic cemetery.

GALATZ THREATENED BY TEUTONIC HOSTS

Russians Driven Further Back by New Drive by Von Mackensen.

Berlin, Jan. 12.—The Rumanian town of Laburtea was captured yesterday by the invading Teutonic troops, the war office announces. The Russians were driven back toward the Sereth, between Braila and Galatz.

Heavy fighting, which increased in violence yesterday, is in progress on the northern end of the Russian front, both along the Dvina and south of Dvinsk. The Russians attacked along the Vilna Dvinsk railroad, but were repulsed with heavy losses, says today's headquarters' statement, regarding the Russian front operations.

Two attacks were made by British troops early this morning on the French front, north of the Ancre river. North of Beaucourt the British gained initial success, the war office announces, but were driven back with heavy losses by a counter attack. A thrust near Serre broke down under the German fire.

The statement regarding the Franco-Belgian operation read: "Western front—Army group of Crown Prince Rupprecht: Our position near Armentieres and Lens and on both sides of the Albert-Papaume road were shelled by hostile artillery with very vigorous results."

"North of the Ancre the British in the early morning hours twice attacked in vain. North of Beaucourt, after they had won initial success, they were driven back into their original positions with heavy losses.

"Army group of the German crown prince: West of the Meuse and on the Cotes Lorraine and in the Voeges, artillery and mine fighting was revived at some points."

WILL BOOST CUTSHALL.

A preliminary organization meeting was held Thursday evening in the interest of W. Sherman Cutshall for mayor at which arrangements were made for a permanent organization to be known as "Cutshall for Mayor Boosters Organization." Meetings will be held at frequent intervals in the near future which will be announced later through the papers.

LEAVES THE HOSPITAL.

Rev. Gottlieb Beisser, aged 75 years, a retired minister of the Reformed church, residing at Decatur, Ind., left the Lutheran hospital, Friday. He underwent an operation four weeks ago. He is greatly improved.

Miss Georgia Lauter, who is employed at the First National bank, and who is at the Klepp's sanitarium, Rome City, for the benefit of her health, is expected to return to her home in Fort Wayne.

WHAT'S AN AMATEUR? PUZZLES GOLF FIENDS

U. S. Golf Association Session is Expected to Define Him.

New York, Jan. 12.—The definition of an amateur is the most important business before the annual meeting of the United States Golf association which will open here tonight. The disqualification of Francis Outmet, Paul Tewksbury, John H. Sullivan, Jr., and other prominent players on the ground that they capitalized their reputations for financial gain has aroused a strong protest which will be put to test by the vote on amendments to the amateur rule.

Announcement on the eve of the annual meeting that the executive committee had adopted a rule putting the ban of professionalism on golf architects is the latest factor in the situation. It was pointed out today that this rule would bar from amateur competition Walter J. Travis, former amateur and British champion and several other well known players. Travis has laid out many of the foremost courses in the country and at present is engaged in the construction of half a dozen courses in the neighborhood of New York.

Advocates of a rigid amateur rule declare that this new amendment cuts the ground from under the feet of the woodland golf club in its defense of Quimet, Tewksbury and Sullivan. The Woodland officials based their protest largely on the contention that the rule barring Quimet was discriminatory, and aimed directly at the famous Massachusetts player while it let others of equal prominence escape the same consequences. As the contest stands at present the balance of power may rest with the western delegates. The Massachusetts association has already voted strongly for the reinstatement of Quimet and a change in the rule while a majority of delegates from the Metropolitan district support the action of the executive committee. The Woodland Golf club officials and their sympathizers have drafted a new rule which would permit an amateur to lay out golf courses and perform other golfing services for pay provided when he does not use "advertising or exploit his golf reputation contrary to the true spirit of amateurism. The rule they propose says: "The spirit of amateurism is the playing of a game for the sport and not for financial gain."

RUSE SMACKS OF OLD PIRATE YARNS

Ingenious Belgians Manage to Get Safely Out of Belgium.

Maastricht, Netherlands, Dec. 25.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—An ingenious ruse, smacking of pirate yarns, has just enabled forty Belgians to get safely out of Belgium. A tugboat lay on the river Meuse at Haccourt early one morning, guarded by three German soldiers. One or two Belgians casually approached and entered into conversation with the sentries, the sequel to a friendly chat being an invitation to have a drink at the nearest hostelry. Here a sleeping potion was adroitly introduced in the unsuspecting Germans' glasses, and a few minutes later the sentries were carried aboard the boat in a helpless condition.

Three Belgians quickly donned their uniforms, the rest of the fugitive party had already taken up their quarters below, and the tugboat was soon steaming Holland-wards, the German war flag flying bravely at the masthead.

Arrived at the Dutch border, the fugitives were imperiously shouted and once safely on the other side the little boat sped down stream at full speed, snapping the wire that stretched across the boundary and being soon afterwards run ashore on Dutch territory.

With borrowed plumes restored to them, the abducted Germans were given due directions concerning the way back to Belgium.

WHEAT HOLDS STEADY.

Entente Reply Falls to Greatly Disturb Market.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 12.—So far as the wheat market showed at the opening today, the answer of the entente allies to President Wilson's peace note has been largely discounted in advance. No unusual excitement was manifested and initial prices although higher, did not make any sensational jump. The maximum advance in first transactions was 2 1/2 cts on May delivery, which touched \$1.30 a bushel, as against \$1.27 1/2 to \$1.28 1/2 at yesterday's finish.

FOUND MURDERED IN HOTEL.

Columbus, O., Jan. 12.—An unidentified woman was found murdered in a room at a leading hotel here today. Her throat was cut and her arms and chin hacked. Police believe she had been dead for twenty-four hours. The room was last occupied by G. V. Van Brunt, of Chicago, on January 9.

PLANNED TO SLAY JOHNSON.

San Francisco, Jan. 12.—An attempt to assassinate Gov. Hiram Johnson, said a State senator-elect from California, was revealed in letters seen by the Associated Press. The letters, dated Jan. 10, were written by a man who had been in the city for several weeks ago. District Attorney Johnson is believed to be the target of the plot.

COLD GON! HEAD AND NOSE CLEAR

First dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" relieves all grippe misery.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken will end grippe misery and break up a severe cold either in the head, chest, body or limbs.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages; stops nasty discharge or nose running; relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only 25 cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice and causes no inconvenience. Don't accept a substitute.—Advertisement.

HERO OF THE SOMME MODEST YOUNG CHAP

Youthful Officer, Gathering
"Handful of Soldiers,"
Takes Beaucourt.

(By Mary Boyle O'Reilly.)

London, Jan. 12.—This is not a Henry story of adventure; it is the military record of a youthful New Zealand lieutenant colonel who, at 27, has lived through two years of "perfectly good war."

The declaration of war caught Bernard C. Freyberg prospecting in Mexico with occasional bits of fighting on the side.

The big show being booked for Europe "B. C." sailed for Liverpool. It was just like the lad to be a little ahead of the rest. He got a berth as junior lieutenant in the naval brigade.

They packed him off to Antwerp, where he was wounded three times and twice mentioned in dispatches.

After Antwerp, the naval brigade went to the Dardanelles.

During the landing operations it was decided to attack the peninsula of Xeros. Freyberg was commanded to lead three boat-loads of men ashore and there light flares to draw the Turkish fires.

He didn't seem to care for the idea. Ordered to explain, he proved that the plan spelt the useless death of every man in the boats. He pleaded to do the job single handed. He could swim across; he was some swimmer.

An astonished major general consented.

First Freyberg made a reconnaissance in a destroyer. Next night he dropped into the sea two miles from his landing place. Hung from his shoulders was a waterproof bag holding three oil flares, a knife and a revolver.

The swim consumed an hour and a half, for Freyberg had to avoid bar-

A LIVING OBJECT LESSON IN MOTHER'S PENSIONS.



MRS. MARY O'ROURKE, NEW YORK CITY WIDOW AND THE SIX CHILDREN SHE IS ENABLED BY MOTHERS' PENSIONS TO BRING UP HERSELF.

By Judge Henry Neil.

Here's an example of the value of mother's pensions:

Mary O'Rourke's husband died in New York city and left her with six children and no money. This state of affairs a year ago would have sent these children to the state institutions, where they would have forgotten their mother. But mother would not have forgotten them, although she would not have been allowed to know where they were.

But the new mothers' pension law of New York provided \$69 a month—

\$10 for each child—for this mother to keep her own children in her own home and bring them up with a mother's care and a mother's love.

The mothers' pension board of New York city has asked Mayor Mitchell for an appropriation of a million and a quarter dollars for pensions for this kind of mothers for 1917.

The mayor had an investigation made of 100 pensioned families and the commissioners reported that "they could find no fault. It seemed to them the best system ever devised for the care of dependent children with good mothers."

bed wire with a trapper's care. Crawling inland he lit his flares.

"BOOM!" went a Turkish gun—another—then a battery. A large enemy force were evidently strongly entrenched. Freyberg dived into the icy sea and swam to the ship. It took two hours to find the destroyer, while the flares blazing cheerily along shore gave the allies' ships a range on Turkish batteries.

Two months later Lieutenant Freyberg was a lieutenant colonel. As such he came from Gallipoli.

Nov. 1, 1916, marked the fifth month of the battle of the Somme.

By the fifteenth a naval division moved up to Beaucourt, commanded by Lieut. Col. Freyberg.

Gathering as a storming force 250 men of one battalion, 115 of another, 50 of a broken brigade, Freyberg led his job lot over the top.

In the first rush across the para-

pet he was wounded, given emergency aid, and sprang forward to rejoin his bunch. There was a hand-to-hand fight among the ruins of Beaucourt, for the Germans are not taken easily.

Freyberg alone was four times wounded. Yet during all the devil's dance of battle the youthful leader, in bandages, led the way through the smoke and dark.

When at last the overwhelmed enemy surrendered he saw to shepherding the prisoners. Beaucourt was won for the allies and the man who won it sank down suddenly.

"I think I'll turn in now," he whispered faintly. "Well done, boys. Carry on. Carry on!"

That's how Freyberg, of New Zealand, became the hero of the Somme. Ask him what he did at Beaucourt and he says, half laughing, "The Lord knows."

LETTER GIVES DETAIL OF NEPHEW'S DEATH

W. H. Rohr, uncle of F. A. Hermance, who died while on a moose hunting trip in Canada a month ago, has received a letter from the Canadian authorities which explains the circumstances surrounding the death of the young man. The body of the deceased arrived in Knox, Friday, and funeral services will be held Saturday.

According to the letter, Hermance started out to hunt moose by himself, as he had been disappointed about not getting any game on former trips with his companions. He was bent upon getting one before returning to camp. When nightfall fell upon the camp and he did not return, his companions on the expedition started out to hunt him. They were forced to retreat to camp on account of the black darkness. They looked for the lost hunter the following day, but without any results. Four days later another party of hunters accidentally found the body. The Canadian authorities state that death was due to exhaustion and exposure.

Bad Habits.
Those who breakfast at eight o'clock or later, lunch at twelve and have dinner at six are almost certain to be troubled with indigestion. They do not allow time for one meal to digest before taking another. Not less than five hours should elapse between meals. If you are troubled with indigestion correct your habits and take Chamberlain's Tablets, and you may reasonably hope for a quick recovery. These tablets strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

WHAT HAS BECOME OF—



THE KID THAT WANTED TO PRACTICE

Rurode's

TIMELY HINTS FROM OUR JANUARY SALE

Offerings That Ought to Command
The Attention of the Thrifty

The Sale of Linens

You know our reputation for good Linens. Our stock was never so good as at present and the savings during this sale are worth while if there is a linen need.

72-inch Bleached Table Damask, very fine in quality; ten patterns to choose from; regular price \$1.25 yard; Sale price.....\$1.08

72-inch Bleached Table Damask, an extra heavy quality; regular price \$1.00 a yard; Sale Price, a yard.....88c

72-inch Bleached Table Damask, an unusually fine quality in handsome patterns; regular price \$1.50 a yard; Sale Price.....\$1.32

72-inch Bleached Table Damask in choice new patterns; regular price 75c a yard; Sale Price, a yard.....68c

Bleached Damask Pattern Cloths, size 2 by 2 1/2 yards, in choice designs, with napkins to match; regular price \$12.00; Sale Price.....\$10.00

Bleached Damask Pattern Cloths, size 2 by 2 1/2 yards; a fine quality in beautiful designs with napkins to match; regular price \$18.00; Sale Price, a set.....\$15.75

18-inch Unbleached Linen Crash Toweling, 16c value; Sale Price, a yard.....14c

18-inch Bleached Linen Crash Toweling, 16c value; Sale Price, a yard.....14c

18-inch Bleached Linen Crash Toweling; extra good, 18c value; Sale Price, a yard.....16c

Hemmed Crochet Bed Spreads, full size; in blue, pink and yellow; regular price \$2.00; Sale Price.....\$1.78

Fringed Crochet Bed Spreads, full size, blue, pink and yellow; regular price \$2.25; Sale Price.....\$1.98

White Crochet Bed Spreads, full size; hemmed; choice designs; regular price \$2.00; Sale Price.....\$1.78

White Crochet Bed Spreads, fringed, full size, Marseilles patterns; regular price \$2.25; Sale Price.....\$1.98

Full size Hemmed Crochet Bed Spreads; extra quality; Sale Price.....\$1.08

Hemmed Crochet Bed Spreads, large size, Marseilles patterns; Sale Price.....\$1.32

Hemmed Cotton Huck Towels, extra size; reg. price 15c; Sale Price.....12 1/2c

Hemmed Cotton Huck Towels, extra large and heavy; regular price 20c; Sale Price.....17c

Extraordinary offering in Plush Coats. They are made in choice new styles from Salt's Sealine Plush. They just came in yesterday. We bought them for less. We turn them over to you the same way.

THREE LOTS---THREE PRICES

\$30.00 Plush Coats for\$22.50
\$32.50 Plush Coats for\$25.00
\$42.50 Plush Coats for\$30.00

Cold February and blustery March are still ahead. You will get a lot of comfort out of one of these coats now and have a good stylish garment ready for next winter. The stock is limited; choose quickly.



We Take Pleasure

—In announcing that we will have with us today and tomorrow Mrs. M. B. Hayhurst, of the Nemo Hygienic Fashion Institute of New York, for a demonstration and lecture on the merits of the Nemo Corsets. If you desire health and corset comfort hear Mrs. Hayhurst.

Bed Sheets---Very Special

Full size Sheets torn and hemmed as they should be. Good quality sheeting, 85c should be the price, we offer them at 79c each.

Utility House Dresses

No woman's wardrobe is complete without these sensible and serviceable garments. Imagine the convenience of being able to dress neatly in nine seconds with a garment that slips on and off like a coat with only two buttons to adjust. These garments come in a wide variety of pretty materials and cost but little. Buy them now at 15 per cent. less.

Women's Muslinwear

Our splendid stock of Muslin Underwear is now on sale at Special Prices

TO CLEAN UP

We have a lot of fine undergarments, some of them French hand embroidered. Garments slightly mussed and soiled which you can buy at less than half former prices.

Curtain Nets at Much Less

A lot of Curtain Nets in white and ecru that are slightly soiled. To close them out these are the prices:

Nets that were 25c now.....12 1/2c
Nets that were 30c now.....15c
Nets that were 35c now.....17 1/2c
Nets that were 40c now.....20c
Nets that were 45c now.....22 1/2c
Nets that were 50c now.....25c
Nets that were 55c now.....27 1/2c
Nets that were 60c now.....30c

Clearance in Infants' and Children's Apparel

Clean, fresh, new and dainty apparel for infants and children priced for less during this sale.

Infants' Long and Short Dresses, Infants' Long and Short Coats, Infants' Caps and Bonnets, Children's Rompers and Play Suits, all at lowered prices.

Misses' and Children's Coats, some exceedingly good styles, to close out at one-fourth less.

A Clean-Up in Dress Goods

A broken lot that is left of a number of lines through the season; plain colors and novelties; very good for skirts or spring suits; prices that were from \$1.25 to \$2.00 a yard; Sale Price, yard.....\$1.15

Too many Coatings on hand; we would rather close them out at a price than carry over to next season, and in order to do so, we will sell those

That were \$3.50 a yard at.....\$2.75
That were \$3.00 a yard at.....\$2.25
That were \$2.50 and \$2.75 a yard at.....\$1.75

All Remnants of Four Yards or Less at a Great Sacrifice

Wash Goods Section

50c Tussah in all shades, silk and cotton.....39c
60c and 75c Silk and Cotton, printed in elaborate designs on light shades; Sale Price.....39c
65c and 75c Wash Silks; Sale Price.....39c
Printed Cotton Voiles left over; were asking 25c to 35c a yard; will close out at.....39c

Majestic Theatre
TONIGHT
JOHN HYAMS and LILLA MINTYRE
—In—
"MY HOME TOWN GIRL."
Prices.....50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50

PALACE
DAILY
The Amusement Center of
Fort Wayne.
DUNBAR'S KILLARNEY
MAIDS
And 6 Big Keith Surprises.
1,000 Matinee Seats at 10c.
Nights.....10c, 20c, 30c, 50c
NEXT—The Suffragette Revue.
Jan. 1—Anniversary Week.

MAJESTIC THEATRE 3 Days

Commencing Monday Evening, January 15
D. W. GRIFFITH'S COLOSSAL \$2,000,000 SPECTACLE

"Intolerance"

LOVE'S STRUGGLE THROUGHOUT THE AGES.
THE PERFECT LOVE of the Boy and the DEAR ONE
See THE FEAST OF BELSHAZAR
THE THRILLING RACE BETWEEN TRAIN AND AUTOMOBILE!

125 PEOPLE—7,500 HORSES—1,200 CHARIOTS.
PRICES: Matinees—25c to \$1.00.
NIGHTS—25c to \$1.50.
NO TELEPHONE ORDERS.

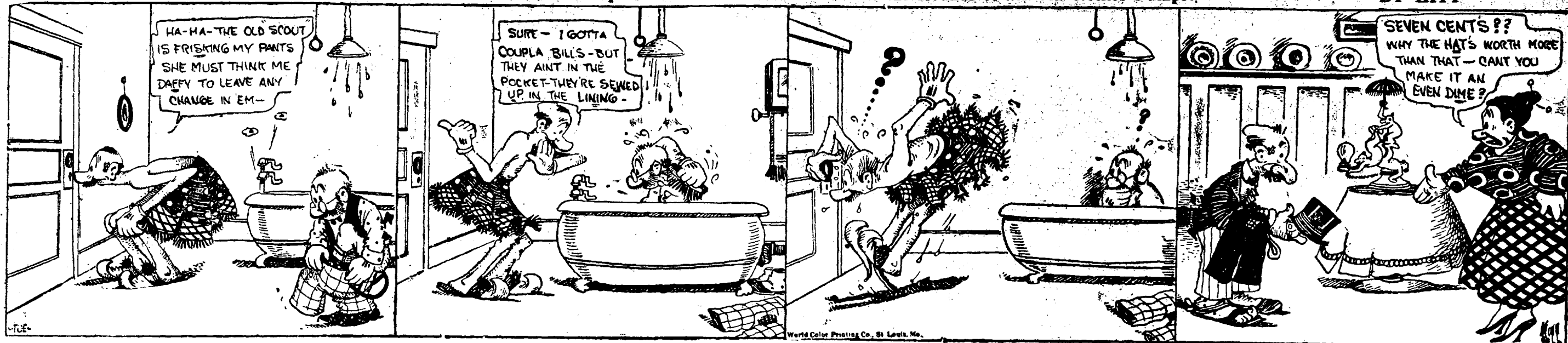
6 BIG NIGHTS 6 BIG NIGHTS

—Week of Merriment With the Moose—
MOOSE AUDITORIUM, Jan. 15-16-17-18-19-20 ALL NEXT WEEK
CORNER WAYNE AND WEBSTER STS

25 PROFESSIONAL ENTERTAINERS 25
FEATURING
Francis McGuire, Edw. L. Nicholson, Ben Doran, Jack Driscoll,
George Towley, Frank Howard,
Exhibition Dancing, by Craig & Carter. Dancing each evening.
MUSIC BY HALLORAN'S COONEY ISLAND
BANJO ORCHESTRA
SEASON TICKETS, 50c. SINGLE ADMISSION, 25c

HITT AND RUNN—Now Bull Will Have to Jump Into a Sack or Barrel and Make the Rounds of the Old Clothes Dumps!

BY HITT



Fultz Sends Frat's Ultimatum to Baseball Magnates

ORGANIZED BALL GETS SWAT FROM FRATERNITY

Harry Sallee is Canned to Show That Players Mean Business Now.

New York, Jan. 12.—Acting for the Baseball Players' Fraternity, of which he is president, David F. Fultz yesterday sent the magnates of organized ball an ultimatum to the effect that unless requests made by the fraternity were agreed to training camps would be useless this spring.

To show that the fraternity would fight for the rights of the players officers of the organization gave out the statement that Harry F. Sallee had been expelled for signing with the Giants after promising to stick by the fraternity until he was given permission to close the contract.

The President's Statement.

The following is a part of the statement by President Fultz:

The report that Harry F. Sallee recently signed a contract with the New York Giants has been investigated by the fraternity and found to be true. Sallee was a member of the fraternity and voluntarily pledged himself, with between 600 and 700 other players, not to enter into a contract until he was permitted to do so, after our requests to organized ball had received proper consideration.

"As no consideration whatever has been given our requests to the board, and as Sallee acted in direct violation of his pledge, he was today expelled from the fraternity. This is the necessary result of any such act, and no exceptions can be made."

"It has been reported that Ritter, Sandberg and Witternatter have also signed. Witternatter has not signed and the report was evidently given out for the effect it would have on other players. Ritter did not pledge himself to the fraternity and his case will be taken up later. Sandberg is not a member."

"For over two years we have through petition, argument and appeals to the sentiment and to the board of arbitration of the National Association of Baseball Leagues' sense of fairness attempted to get, not sweeping reforms, but only those ordinary considerations which are well recognized to be the just portion of the players, things which the national commission long ago granted us on behalf of the major leagues and which they have gone on record as approving for the minors. In this we have failed absolutely."

Board Will Get Shock.

"This board does not comprehend these methods and has in addition violated its agreement with us. It is now a case of continuing to accept breaches of their contract and of submitting to unfair regulations or talking in terms which the board understands. We believe it will understand this, that if it continues its present methods organized ball is in for one of the greatest surprises it has ever had in its existence."

Scratch pads, 5c and 2 for 5c. Just the thing for pencil work in school. Sentinel Office, 114 W. Wayne St.

PENNSY WINS AGAIN AND STICKS TO TOP

Dudlo Five Are Losers After Hard Battle With E. W. Team.

TEAM STANDINGS.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Pennsy	3	0	1.000
Electric Works	2	1	.667
Bowlers	1	2	.333
Dudlos	0	3	.000

A large crowd saw the Pennsy Rail-roads win last night and strengthen their hold on the top of the ladder. This five has gone the rounds now and has beaten each of the other teams in the league, emerging with a perfect percentage. Doriot again proved himself a star on the leading quintet, scoring all of the 17 points gained over the "Oil Tanks."

All of this scoring is done with Kennedy guarding him, too, which is quite a boost for Doriot, for there are very few guards in the city better than Kennedy.

The Dudlo outfit fought hard last night but were nosed out by a score of 11 to 8. Doerfler and Walda, two St. Paul players, were added to the ranks of the Dudlo squad and seemed to put some "spizzer-intum" into the playing of the team. At least they played their best game last night.

The Opener.

Pennsy (17). Bowlers (3). Doriot R. F. Freistoffer Hoffman L. F. Weberuss Cramer C. W. Mensing Daley R. F. Dietrich Field goals—Doriot, 3; Hoffman, 2; Cramer, 1; Weberuss, 1. Foul goals—Doriot, 5; Dietrich, 1. Referee—M. Jrmischer.

The Pennsylvania outfit completed the first round of the circuit last night when the Bowlers five was met and defeated by a score of 17 to 8. Like most scores, however, this does not tell the tale of the game. Both teams were going wide open and the guarding on both sides was of the stone wall variety, with the ball going under the baskets very seldom, but when it did go under the Bowser cage, Doriot and his teammates seldom failed to register, while the Bowser forwards couldn't connect on their chances at all. The win was not a fluke, however, and the Pennsy team gets credit for a full-fledged win, having copped principally through hard and fast playing.

Doriot shows up as more of a star in every engagement and so far is evidently leading the league. The remainder of the Pennsy team works right with Doriot and as a result a winning combination has been formed which the other outfits have had trouble in breaking up. Dietrich and Kennedy play a powerful game at defense for the "Tanks" and the team works the floor good but fails in the important business of making the tries for goal count.

Electricians Advance.

Dudlos (8). Electric Works (11). Doerfler R. F. Miller-Benz Wyss L. F. Diffendorfer Herring C. G. Vonderhaar Walda R. G. Bleck-Outland Kierspe L. G. Rulo-Lindemuth Field goals—Wyss, 1; Walda, 1; Miller, 2; Vonderhaar, 1; Rulo, 1. Foul goals—Doerfler, 4; Miller, 1. Referee—M. Jrmischer.

By means of their win last night the Electricians drew away from the Bowlers and went into second place unhampered. The Dudlo crew just about sprang a surprise last night, however, and the two new men whom they had in their line-up made the Broadway athletes sort of nervous. They managed to pull out without any difficulty and put over a win, 11 to 8. Doerfler is in charge of this team now and threatens to make league leaders of them. Miller and Vonderhaar of the Feds team right along together and form the foundation for a first-class five. Doerfler, of the Dudlo team, did not play up to his standard last night, but the best of them will have him days. At least the outfit was strengthened by the addition.

Next week's games start the second round of the circuit and the Electricians and Tanks will meet. This game threatens to be stormy, as does the Dudlo-Pennsy contest, which would be an awful blow to the Railroads to have the tail end team knock a hole in their 1.000 percentage.

WELSH GETS SANCTION

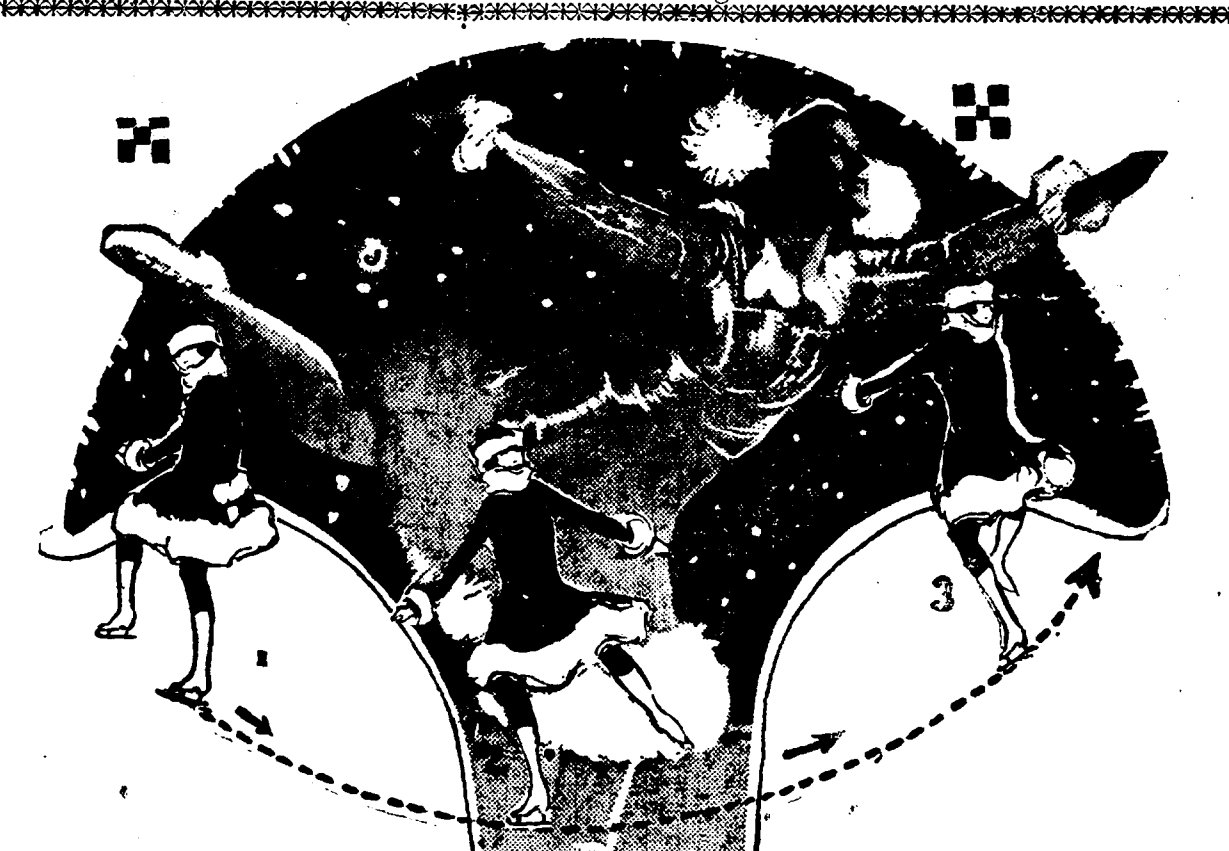
To Box Mitchell in Milwaukee But Had to Post Forfeit.

Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 12.—The Wisconsin athletic commission Thursday formally sanctioned the proposed ten round boxing contest between Freddie Welsh, world's lightweight champion, and Richie Mitchell, Milwaukee challenger, for January 16 in this city upon receipt of a certified check from Welsh covering weight and appearance forfeits.

It cost \$20,000 to make Montana "dry."

HOW TO SKATE—BY CHARLOTTE

World's Whirling Wonder Tells of Benefits from the Standpoint of Health and Gives Lessons for Beginners.



BY CHARLOTTE.

(World's whirling wonder, greatest of all women skaters, especially for The Sentinel.)

Everybody should learn to skate; it makes one beautiful and strong.

I was a delicate child. Now my muscles are as hard as those of an athlete.

When I was 9 years of age I began skating for my health. It has made me well and strong and filled out all the ugly hollows.

It is not hard to learn to skate well enough to do simple figures and to dance on ice, and oh, it is more wonderful than dancing on a floor—it's more like flying.

The first thing to learn in figure skating is the proper carriage. Always hold the head well, body erect with arms extended gracefully.

Bend the skating leg slightly at the knee. The balance leg should be carried somewhat away from the skating leg, with the knee well bent and the foot turned outward and downward. For balance, when the arms are on the one side of the body the leg is on the other, almost invariably.

We will take the edges first because they are the bases of all figure skating. Remember always to make your figures

CHARLOTTE AND DIAGRAM SHOW HOW TO SKATE "THE EDGES."

new position. The edge is finished with the left foot held quite high above the right.

The inside edges are much easier. Start for the right inside forward circle with a push of the edge of the left skate.

At start of figure twist shoulders toward the right, bringing the left shoulder forward. Keep this position for about one-quarter of the circle, when you bring the shoulders slowly square with the print (the mark made on the ice by the skate) and from this point on bring the right shoulder slowly forward until at the end of the figure the shoulders are almost in line with the print.

To complete an inside edge circle, bring the balance leg slowly forward and carry it past the skating leg, away from the body from a forward to a backward stance. Bend the knee of the balance leg as it passes the skating foot, then carry the balance leg well to the right, across the print and raised above the skating knee.

Swing the arms slowly across to the left of the body as the balance leg swings forward. Finish the figure as close to the starting point as possible.

(Another lesson by Charlotte will appear in The Sentinel tomorrow.)

LYCEUM FEDS MEET FRANKLIN TONIGHT

Real basketball is predicted for the Lyceum Feds tonight when they try out their ability against the Franklin Cadets of Franklin college. The college team is "ace-high" in the game and has been "cleaning" some of the best outfits in the state. The Feds are all in the best of condition and the regular line-up will appear to do battle against the collegians.

High Schools Have Specials for Games

Two local high schools have basketball engagements in other towns tonight and the students of both schools have chartered specials to take them to the scenes of battle.

The boys and girls' teams of Port Wayne-high will participate in a double-header at Decatur and the Central Catholic high team will play Garrett high. About seventy-five students will go on the latter car. The line-up for Central high is as follows: Gordon and Kinder, forwards; Kirkland and McLaughlin, center; Burns and Clifford, guards.

The Packards won from the Rubies at the Miner school gym by a score of 38 to 13. Miller scored 40 points for the winners and was named individual star.

The St. Peter's girls' team won from the Hanna school girls' team by a score of 20 to 9. Marcella Arnold and Mabel McDonnell starred for the winners.

Mechanism whereby the music of a piano and phonograph can be combined has been patented by a New Jersey inventor.

LOCAL TRIO AGAIN CLEANS OUT CIRCLE

Hal Stewart, Frankie Mason and Battling Hess fought in Grand Rapids last night at a private smoker and, much to the delight of the Grand Rapids fans, cleaned the ring out. Hal Stewart laid Johnny Wolgast low in the sixth round, while Frankie Mason outpointed Battling Bragg and had him off his feet in the tenth. Hess did slightly better than a draw. The three fighters are the big noise in Grand Rapids sport circles.

EVANSVILLE'S BERTH

In Central This Year Is Assured by Sale of Tickets.

Evansville, Ind., Jan. 12.—In two days' time the committee of prominent citizens appointed by the chamber of commerce, sold 300 season tickets for the Evansville Central league baseball team at \$15 apiece, thus assuring the city representation in the league next season.

THREE OFFICIALS FOR NEBRASKA SCRAPPERS.

An innovation in the conduct of boxing matches is planned in the boxing bill drafted for Nebraska, which will be voted on at the present session of the state legislature.

Instead of a referee to direct the bouts the bill provides for an umpire in the ring to handle the fighters and two judges at ringside to help the umpire decide on decisions.

The plan is evidently adopted from the A. A. U. rules for amateur boxing bouts which provide for three officials.

The boxing bill also prohibits guarantees for boxers. All must box on a percentage basis.

In homicides Italy leads with 2,500 annually; Russia comes next with 2,400 and Spain third with 1,600.

Albert Petteröhl, of Hartford, Conn., recently found a coin dated 1773 and bearing an inscription of King George.

FOR SALE—Federal Securities and Investment Co. 7% preferred stock at par. C. F. Pfeiffer.

Frankie Robinson, a boy of 19, leading jockey of 1915, is so much in demand on the turf that he has been paid an option of \$5,000 for his services by Harry Payne Whitney, New York millionaire horseman.

A ride on Ricketty in the Belmont futurity really won recognition for Robinson. Whitney had three horses in the race and Robinson had choice of mounts. He beat out the other two Whitney entries, finishing second in the race.

During the season Robinson won 178 races in America, 129 in Canada, finished second 121 times in America and 82 times in Canada, and third 124 times in America and 59 times in Canada.

The pneumatic stacker saves a great deal of grain which was formerly wasted.

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BOWLING.



OLYMPIC LEAGUE.

GROSCH GROCERS.			
Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.
J. Creigh	165	154	160
E. Zern	117	...	...
E. Kramer	150	194	...
E. Grosch	139	180	171
P. J. Hoffman	167	158	140
T. Zern	171	158	197
Totals	750	800	862

SCHARCOS.

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.
Schaab	146	185	176
John Rinehart	115	...	...
F. Mattes	96	141	...
A. Zurbuch	171	182	156
Joe Rinehart	150	166	129
J. Rodermund	170	171	183
Totals	752	800	785

SCHARCOS SECONDS.

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.
P. Van Horn	172	113	141
H. N. Mettler	112	136	155
N. H. Mattes	139	137	140
Totals	423	386	436

GROSCH GROCERS SECONDS.

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.
G. Jaeger	181	142	104
J. Klingenberg	141	96	137
J. Grosch	117	153	121
Totals	389	391	362

AGGIES WANT BREWER.

East Lansing, Mich., Jan. 12.—Coach Chester L. Brewer of the University of Missouri is favorably considering an offer to take charge of athletics at the Michigan Agricultural college again. The M. A. C. officials have been looking for a favorable coach and general director of athletics since Frank Sommer resigned at the close of the football season. Brewer, a graduate of the University of Wisconsin, went to Missouri after he made a remarkable record here.

GIVEN HOPE BOX.

David O. McComb, county superintendent, has been given a county chest by students of the manual training department of the Monroeville schools. It is a hope box, of practical size, and its corners are dove-tailed and bound with brass. A card inside the box said: "Monroeville, Ind., January 8, 1917. D. O. McComb—Chesting for the year 1917. Monroeville Manual Training School."

Mills in England have succeeded in making twine and yarn from flax straw, generally regarded as a waste product.

Sentinel Wants Ads. Bring

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SOUTH IS BIG FACTOR WITH AUTO SALESMEN

Better Roads and Prices in Dixie Have Boosted Sales 50 Per Cent.

BY HI GEAR.

Better roads, better prices for crops and more money have opened the south as a big factor in the auto salesman's business.

Recent figures from Dixie indicate the solid south is importing half again as many cars as last year and sales are steadily increasing.

Twenty-cent cotton with a big crop, better prices for all other products and almost universal prosperity in the south are believed to be the main reasons for the increased business.

Better roads have also had their effect and the sale of more cars is producing a cycle which it is believed will give the south more good roads within the next five years than it has had since the civil war.

With the advent of the smaller land owner and tenant into the field of prospective buyers, dealers have increased sales forces and are making every effort to take advantage of opportunities the new situation offers.

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Germany Surprised at Demands of the Allies

Berlin, Jan. 12.—(By Wireless.)—Germany has handed neutral governments a note concerning the reply of the entente to the German peace proposals, the Overseas News agency announces.

It is first stated, says the news agency announcement, that the German government has received the reply of the entente to the note of Dec. 12, containing a proposition to enter at once into peace negotiations. The note continues:

"Our adversaries declined this proposition, giving as the reason that it is a proposition without sincerity and without importance. The form in which they clothe their communication excludes an answer to them, but the imperial government considers it important to point out to the governments of neutral powers its opinion regarding the situation."

"History Will Judge."

"The central powers have no reason to enter into any discussion regarding the origin of the war. History will judge upon whom the immense verdict of the war shall fall, history's verdict will be as little pass over the encircling policy of England, the revengeful policy of France and the endeavor of Russia to gain Constantinople as over the instigation of the Serbian assassins in Sarajevo and the complete mobilization of Russia, which meant war against Germany."

Call Demand Surprising.

"Germany and her allies, who had to take up arms for defense of their liberty and their existence, consider this, their aim of the war, as obtained."

"On the other hand, the hostile powers always went further away from the realization of their plans, which, according to the declarations of their responsible statesmen, were, among others, directed toward the conquest of Alsace-Lorraine and several Prussian provinces, the humiliation and diminution of the Austro-Hungarian monarchy, the partition of Turkey and the mutilation of Bulgaria."

"In the face of such war aims the demand for restitution, reparation and guarantees in the mouth of our adversaries produces a surprising effect."

Protest Allied Charge.

"Our adversaries call the proposal of the four allied (Teutonic) powers a war maneuver. Germany and her allies must protest in the most energetic fashion against such a characterization of their motives, which were frankly explained. They were persuaded that a peace which was just and acceptable to all the belligerents was possible; that it could be brought about by an immediate, spoken exchange of views, and that, therefore, the responsibility for further bloodshed could not be taken."

"Their readiness was affirmed without reservation to make known their peace conditions when negotiations were entered into, which refutes every doubt as to their sincerity."

Rejected by Allies.

"Our adversaries, who had in their hands to examine the proposition as to its contents, neither attempted an examination nor made counter proposals. Instead, they declared that peace was impossible so long as the re-establishment of violated rights and liberties, the recognition of the principle of nationalities and the free existence of small states were not guaranteed."

"The sincerity which our adversary denies to the proposals of the four allied powers, will not be conceded by the world to these demands if the world holds before its eyes the fate of the Irish people, the destruction of the liberty and independence of the Boer republic, the subjugation of northern Africa by England, France and Italy, the suppression of Russian alien nations, and also the violation of Greece, which is without precedent in history."

Against the pretended violations of the laws of nations by the four allies (Teutonic) those powers are not entitled to complain, which from the beginning of the war trampled on justice and tore to pieces the treaties upon which it is built. England already during the first weeks of the war repudiated the London declaration, the content of which has been recognized by its own delegates as a valid law of nations, and in the further course of the war violated in the most severe fashion also the Paris declaration; so

that, by her arbitrary measures for warfare, a condition of lawlessness has been created.

"The war of starvation against Germany and the pressure exercised in England's interest against neutrals are not less scandalously conflicting with the rules of the laws of nations than with the commands of humanity."

Protest Use of Negroes.

"Likewise contrary to the laws of nations and incompatible with the usages of civilization are the use of colored troops in Europe and the extension of the war into Africa, which was done by a breach of existing treaties and which undermines the prestige of the white race on that continent."

"The barbarous treatment of prisoners, especially in Africa and Russia, and the deportation of the civilian population from eastern Prussia, Alsace-Lorraine, Galicia and Bukovina are further proof of how our adversaries point out the special situation of Belgium."

"The imperial government is unable to acknowledge that the Belgian government has always observed the duties which were enjoined upon her by her neutrality. Already before the war Belgium, under England's influence sought support in military fashion from England and France and thus herself violated the spirit of the treaty which she had to guarantee her independence and neutrality."

Belgian Case Reviewed.

"Twice the imperial government declared to the Belgian government that it did not come as an enemy to Belgium, and asked it to spare the country the terrors of war. Germany offered to guarantee the integrity and independence of the kingdom to the fullest extent and compensate for all damages which might be caused by the passage of the German troops."

"It is known that the royal British government in 1837 was resolved not to oppose the use of the right of way through Belgium under those conditions."

"The Belgian government declined the repeated offer of the imperial government. Upon her and those powers which instigated her to this attitude falls the responsibility for the fate which befell Belgium."

"The accusations about the German warfare in Belgium and the measures taken there in the interest of military safety have been repeatedly refuted by the imperial government as untrue. Germany again offers energetic protest against these calumnies."

Will Continue War.

"Germany and her allies have made an honest attempt to terminate the war and open the road for an understanding among the belligerents. The imperial government asserts the fact that it merely depended upon the decision of our adversaries whether the road toward peace should be entered upon or not. The hostile governments declined to accept this road. Upon them falls the full responsibility for the continuation of the bloodshed."

"Our allied powers, however, shall continue the struggle in quiet confidence and with firm trust in their right, until peace is gained which guarantees to their nations honor, existence and liberty of development, and which to all the nations of the European continent gives the blessing to co-operate in mutual respect and under equal rights together for the solution of the great problems of civilization."

Furniture Stores may come and Furniture Stores may go, but "Foster's Big Furniture Store" goes on forever. You can't kill a good thing. It is now on its 49th year in Fort Wayne, its 47th in Terre Haute, and its 35th year in Lafayette. "Nothing succeeds like success"; "merit wins."

TURNER'S MASQUERADE BALL.

Vorwaerts Turnverein at its regular monthly meeting this week decided to give a masquerade ball on Shrove Tuesday evening at the Turner hall. This will be an elaborate affair and all members with their families will be invited.

Mighty Sale Savings Are Within Your Grasp At MYERS' CLOSING OUT SALE

AS TIME grows shorter the bargains grow bigger, for additional price slashes have been made to make the closing days of this eventful saving occasion the most sensational and thrift exciting sale in the last decade.

Values better and prices lower than any ordinary clearance sale in Fort Wayne. All thought of profit has been cast aside. All we want is to clean out the merchandise and realize whatever ready cash it will bring. Cost and less prevails on every article. Buy Bigger Bargains now!

OPPORTUNITY

One-Lot of Children's Coats, light weight, all colors. Your choice at

\$1.00

Suits

One Lot of Suits to \$35 —at— **\$3.47**

One Lot of \$30 Suits on Sale at **\$13.75**

Wake to the Waist Sale Wonders!



One of the biggest bargain bangs of this sale has been the tremendous values offered in Waists. Splendid models, each with some distinctive feature to make it an appealing garment at any time, and a truly wonderful garment when priced at the Sale saving.

Just added a big lot of \$2.50 values to the assortment we have created a run on at **25c**

Silk, Voile and Lace Waists in values to \$5.50. Fine quality, stylish models, on sale at **\$1.29**

Coats

Coats Up to \$20, on Sale Now **\$8.97**

Coats to \$30, on Sale Now **\$14.75**

Silk Petticoat Specials

Nearly Always a Staple Article, Now at Decided Reductions.

\$2.25 Silk Petticoats on Sale at **\$1.59**

\$1.25 Gingham Petticoats, on sale at **79c**

Curtains Cut to the Limit

Good Grades and Patterns in Many Choice Selections at Cut Prices.

\$1.35 Values **92c**

\$2.00 Values **\$1.39**

\$3.25 Values **\$2.42**

\$5.00 Values **\$3.63**

Hose Sale Slashes

Here's Your Chance to Buy a Supply for Less Than You Expected to Pay.

One lot silk and lisle hose; all colors; worth 59c and 50c **39c**

One lot of \$1.25 silk hose on sale at **79c**

Bigger Blanket Bargains

These Will Go Fast. Make Your Savings Early as Possible.

\$6.00 All-Wool Blankets **\$3.98**

\$1.50 Cotton Blankets **98c**

LADIES' KNIT SCARFS

\$1.25 Values **69c**

NEW PURSES

60c Values **42c**

\$1.25 Values **83c**

Kimono

Flannellette and Crepe; \$1.75 Values **98c**

\$3.00 Values **\$1.98**

One lot \$35 Coats

The Biggest Bargain Bang of the Sale **\$5.00**

LACES

7c Values on sale **3½c**

YARNS

15c Values All colors **8c**

PURSES

One lot of \$1 Values **33c**

MEN'S COLLARS

Silver Brand 15c grades **10c**

WOOL DRESS GOODS

One Lot 50c Values at **37c**

MUSLIN Underwear

One Lot of \$1 Gowns, Combinations, Etc. **63c**

Skirts

Up to \$5 Values **2.98**

Up to \$8 Values **3.89**

MEN'S 50c Knit Mufflers

33c

Infants' 59c Sacques

39c

HAIR RIBBONS

29c Values **17c**

Myers Dry Goods Company

Remnants of Yard Goods Way Below Cost. **807-809 Calhoun Street**

Knit Underwear on Sale Way Below Cost. **Shoaff Building**

SHOWS GROWTH OF ELECTRIC BUSINESS

Peter Junkersfield is Speaker Before Public Utility Men.

Centralized control means better service in the electrical business, Peter

Junkersfield told members of the Fort Wayne section of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers speaking at the Commercial club Thursday night from the subject, "Central Station Activities and Their Relation to the Public." He is president of the Edison Electrical Illuminating association and has had much to do with the development of the Commonwealth Edison company of Chicago.

He traced the development of the electrical industry from the start of the first electric generating plant established at Appleton, Wis., in 1882 until the present time. The operating side of the electrical business, the speaker said, included the depart-

ments of generating, transmission and keeping of accounts. He explained the work necessary to give the customary efficient service when 2,000 customers in Chicago moved in one year.

Long hour customers, Junkersfield said, could be always given a better rate, while the short hour user could not be given such a good rate. The average person is using more and more electricity every day and the speaker laid stress on the residence business of electrical companies. The residence customer, Junkersfield said, was always the hardest to please. The speaker said that one of the most important factors that affect the cost of

rendering service was the density of electric service, or the quantity in a given area.

Player Piano, \$325, regular value \$550. A bargain. At Spiegel Piano Co., 825 Calhoun St.

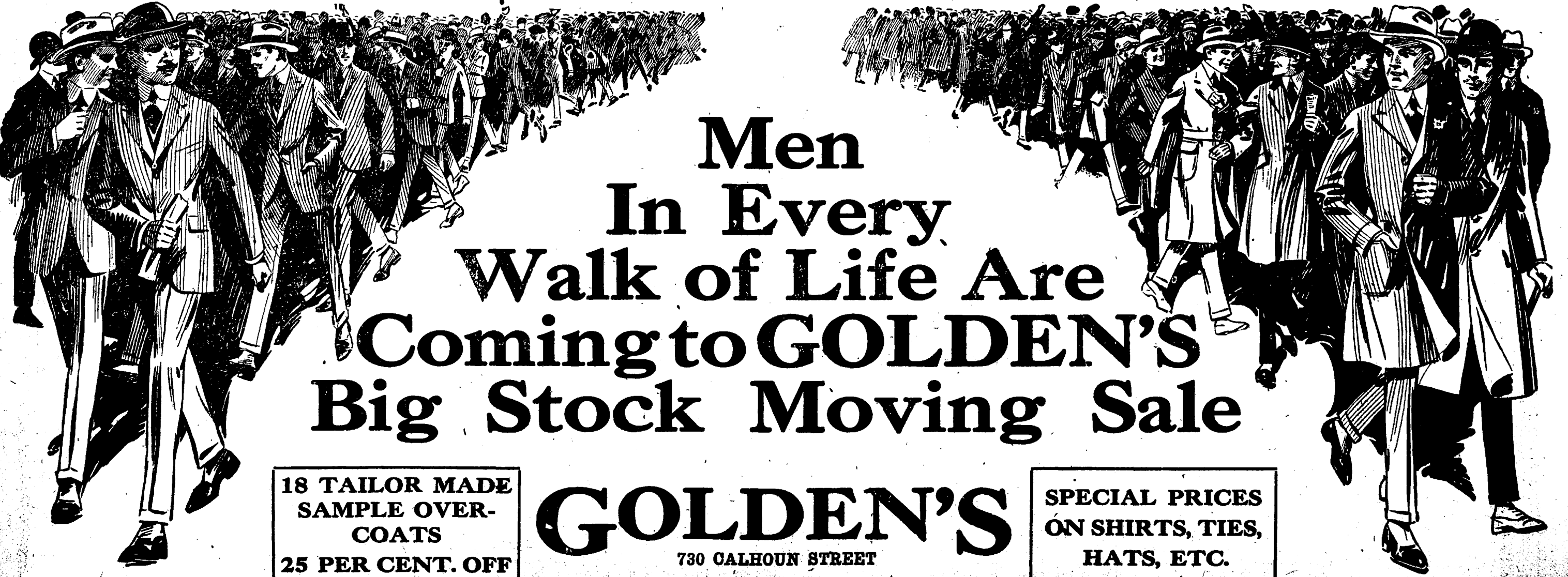
Harrison, Me., boasts a stage driver who has been in the business for a half-century.

M. R. Van Houten recently walked from Los Angeles to Chicago to cure his rheumatism.

FIRE AT SOAP WORKS.

Summit City Soap works, on Glasgow avenue, was threatened by fire Thursday evening, when several empty cartons, on the second floor of one of the buildings, leaped into flames. A citizen passing the front of the building saw the blaze. He called firemen. Chemicals were used in extinguishing the flames. Fire was put out before walls of the building were ignited. Loss is slight.

John Graham, of Tuscola, Ill., wears a straw hat in winter, and goes barefooted from early spring to Christmas



Men In Every Walk of Life Are Coming to GOLDEN'S Big Stock Moving Sale

GOLDEN'S

730 CALHOUN STREET

18 TAILOR MADE SAMPLE OVER-COATS 25 PER CENT. OFF

SPECIAL PRICES ON SHIRTS, TIES, HATS, ETC.

BEGIN HOT WATER DRINKING IF YOU DON'T FEEL RIGHT

Says glass of Hot water with phosphate before breakfast washes out poisons.

If you wake up with a bad taste, bad breath and tongue is coated; if your head is dull or aching; if what you eat sours and forms gas and acid in stomach, or you are bilious, constipated, nervous, and can't get feeling just right, begin inside bathing. Drink before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will flush the poisons and toxins from stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels and cleanse, sweeten and purify the entire alimentary tract. Do your inside bathing immediately upon arising in the morning to wash out of the system all the previous day's poisonous waste, gases and sour bile before putting more food into the stomach.

To feel like young folks feel; like you felt before your blood, nerves and muscles became loaded with body impurities, get from your pharmacist a quarter pound of limestone phosphate which is inexpensive and almost tasteless, except for a sourish twinge which is not unpleasant.

Just as soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and freshening, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. Men and women who are usually constipated, bilious, headachy or have any stomach disorder should begin this inside bathing before breakfast. They are assured they will become real cranks on the subject shortly.—Advertisement.

IF YOU WANT ELECTRIC SERVICE

PHONE 226.

15-Jewel Elgin or Waltham Gold Filled, 18-size Watches, \$6.95.

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TUBE COMPANIES TO FIGHT THE ORDER

See Big Loss if Burleson Auto Mail Plan is Adopted.

(By Gilson Gardner.)

Washington, Jan. 11.—Some ten million dollars in stock value tied up in the pneumatic tube equipment used by the postoffice department in a number of the large cities, accounts the howl against Postmaster General Burleson's order to discontinue in large part the use of this device in favor of carriage by automobiles.

The private companies owning tube patents and tubes have enjoyed profitable contracts for carrying mails in New York, Boston, Chicago and other large cities, and the loss of the government's patronage will mean serious loss to them. A vigorous fight is on in congress to save the tube contracts. Burleson, however, is equally determined that the tubes, except in New York city, where peculiar conditions govern, shall be abandoned. It is a clash of interests, with a marked divergence of views as to the usefulness of the tube device. The owners claim that tubes are the last word of efficiency, while Mr. Burleson and a commission which has reported to him, claim that they are inadequate, being liable to break-down, stoppage, congestion and that they are not large enough to handle the volume of mail. The automobile, it is claimed, while more slow than the tube for light mail, gets the bulk to its destination on an average more quickly, reliably and cheaply. It is on this ground that Burleson intends to give up the tube contracts.

The government has been paying in the neighborhood of \$750,000 a year for the use of the tubes. Of this amount, it is claimed about \$500,000 is profit. The stock ownership in the tube companies, it is claimed, has been so distributed that the tubes have friends in places where friends are needed. One high official tells me that an investigation of the books of the tube company would connect up some senators with that concern.

On the other hand, graft is charged in the promotion of the automobile contracts. The Atlanta penitentiary has just released a man named Cassidy, after serving a year's term for bribing postal officials to substitute automobiles for pneumatic tubes in several of the large cities. Cassidy openly boasted that it was his purpose in life "to kill the tubes." He hoped to pull down some big and profitable contracts for his automobile plants when this had been accomplished. Cassidy entertained a lavishly kept apartment in New York for this purpose and he was so foolish as to boast of his control over postal officials who were in a position to control specifications and help him to get contracts. He went too far, eventually, in his boasts and in his bribing operations and Postmaster General Burleson got him.

The P. M. G. says he is equally indifferent to charges of influence on either side of this controversy; that he is aiming at one object—efficiency and economy—and intends to pursue it regardless of consequences.

Members of the postoffice committee of the house favorable to the device are Congressman Taggart, of Boston; Griffin, of New York; Madden, of Illinois; Copley, of Illinois; Latham, of Pennsylvania; Grist, of Pennsylvania; Hamilton, of New York; Paige, of Massachusetts; and Steenerson, of Minnesota. Congressman Beakes, of Michigan; Finley, of South Carolina, and Bell, of Georgia, have not expressed their views.

The minority of the house committee have signed a report which says in part:

"The recommendations of the postmaster general's committee are contradicted by the reports of five previous governmental commissions which have considered this subject, including an exhaustive report of a congressional committee made just previous to the appointment of this department committee. The result of tests of these pneumatic tubes made during the holidays in the presence of congress, emphasized the value of the service and demonstrated that the report of this departmental committee is inaccurate and misleading, and that its conclusions are not warranted."

The pneumatic tube interests have set up a publicity department in Washington and are flooding the newspapers with copy charging prejudice on the part of Postmaster General Burleson and suggesting that the abandonment of tubes is a backward step and is to be taken at the instigation of powerful automobile interests.

GENEVA NEWS.

Geneva, Ind., Jan. 12.—Frank Pickett was in Fort Wayne Tuesday on business.

Jack Aspy returned to Detroit after a month's vacation here with his family.

Mrs. C. N. Brown and Mrs. Grace

Constipation Makes You Dizzy, Bilious

Get Relief in Thirty Minutes by Taking a Wineglassful of Tollo Water.

That bilious, dizzy, headachy feeling that brings with it coated tongue, foul breath and slow, pasty skin can be banished clean out of your life in half an hour by taking a wineglassful of Tollo Water before breakfast. It quickly but gently flushes and washes the stomach and bowels, leaving them sweet and clean. It also washes out the bile tubes of the liver and puts it to work again.

Don't dose yourself with drugs and take it every morning for a few days until the poison the system has absorbed from decaying waste in the bowels has been removed. After that an occasional wineglassful will keep your bowels regular, your liver clean and active and your stomach ready to digest anything you eat.—Adv.

No "Cut Price Sales" but More Than Your Money's Worth--- ALWAYS!

Trivers' merchandising methods are different from the ordinary retailers. Because we sell Trivers clothes direct from factory to wearer, you pay no retailer's profits and expenses here.

Whether it be January or June, Trivers prices remain the same—Ten and Fifteen Dollars.

No Mark-Up at Trivers Early in the Season, to take Care of a Mark-Down Later On!

No business can live without profit. When you read of clothing being marked 1-5, 1-4 or 1-3 off, it's no doubt true. But wouldn't you hat to be the man who paid, says \$30, today, for a garment and see the same thing tomorrow being sold for \$20?

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Values \$22.50, \$25, \$27.50

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There may be many reasons for reducing the prices of clothing—but there are not many reasons why you should buy it.

If it's "the end of the season," or "odds and ends" you have no selection to choose from. If it's "discontinued models"—they are styles soon to be forgotten. Why buy them?

If it's "special purchases," the size range is limited, and besides, there are mighty few wholesalers these days, who are willing to make a price concession when they'd have to turn around and pay a much higher price for the same grade of woolsens.

New Shipments, New Styles, Nearly Every Day

We are manufacturers. This store is one of our distributing stations. We concentrate on two prices. Our stocks are always clean—there are never any "odds and ends." New shipments today take the place of garments sold yesterday. We've eliminated many expense items by our method of selling. No matter when you buy at Trivers' you can figure you've saved \$5 to \$12.50.

Trivers Clothes Shop

HOME OF TRIVERS' GUARANTEED CLOTHES

924 CALHOUN STREET



We'll Keep Your Clothes Pressed Free

We Guarantee that you will be perfectly satisfied with any Trivers Suit or Overcoat you buy. We are not trying to build a business on "promises."

HARPER VISITED IN FORT WAYNE THURSDAY.

Mack Burdick returned to Astabula, Ohio, Thursday, after visiting with friends here.

Mrs. Mina Mills, of Valentine, Ind., visited her daughter, Mrs. William Baker.

Waldo Hardison, of Bolivar, N. Y., visited with J. H. Hardison this week. Waldo is on his way to Tulsa, Okla.

J. C. Glendening and wife, after spending the summer in Michigan and the holidays in New York have returned to Geneva for the winter.

Mrs. D. A. Judy received a letter from her brother, John L. Sullivan, of Pennington, Ark. He left here twenty years ago and this is the first time she heard from him. He has a large farm in the lumber section of Arkansas and grows corn, wheat and cotton.

Richard Briggs left Wednesday for Fort Wayne, to attend the bedside of Miss Ina Bolds, who was operated on Tuesday. Her condition is very critical.

Mrs. George Christman, of Lake City, Mich., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Henry Morrill and her brother-in-law, Daniel Connor, and family.

John Hiestian and family moved to their farm near New Corydon, Monday.

The funeral of James Gray, aged 14, was held in the United Brethren church Wednesday morning. School was dismissed that the children might attend. James leaves a father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Gray, and one brother, Harold.

ZANESVILLE NEWS.

Zanesville, Ind., Jan. 12.—Simon Hilseneyer, C. Lipp and Fred Lipp, of Oswayo, Ed Platt, Ed Robinson, R. M. Calley, Frank Hoopingarner, Toti Bowman, Ferd Hartup, Bernard Pierson and a number of others met in Zanesville Tuesday afternoon to transact business relating to the Uniondale Rural Telephone company.

Sin Weaver, Otto Scott, Edward Scott, Joe Weaver and Harry Keplinger were callers at the Lutheran hospital Tuesday to see A. V. Scott, who is suffering from a serious burn. Bernard Pierson and Harry Keplinger transacted business in Uniondale Saturday.

John Jacobs, Glen Walter and Von Crow, Zanesville star basketball players, went to Huntington Saturday to play with the Huntington team.

A. H. Knight and Otto Scott went to Fort Wayne Sunday to see A. V. Scott, who is in the Lutheran hospital suffering from a serious burn.

Mrs. Theodore Harsh, of Bluffton, gave an interesting report Sunday at

THE U. B. CHURCH OF THE NATIONAL W. C. T. U. CONVENTION AT INDIANAPOLIS.

Mont Chaney, of Fort Wayne, spent Saturday and Sunday in Zanesville.

NOTICE.

The Annual Meeting of The Packard Piano Co.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Jan. 4, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of The Packard Piano company will be held at the office of The Packard Piano company, on Fairfield avenue, Tuesday evening, January 16th, 1917, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before them.

J. M. KUHN, Secretary.

The government maintains 27,340 miles of road in Spain and has more than 3,000 miles under construction at the present time.

Sure! High Heels Cause Corns But Who Cares Now

Because style decrees that women crowd and buckle up their tender toes in high heel footwear they suffer from corns, then they cut and trim at these painful pests which merely makes the corn grow hard. This suicidal habit may cause lockjaw and women are warned to stop it.

A few drops of a drug called freeze-one applied directly upon a sore corn gives quick relief and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts out without pain. Ask the drug store man for a quarter of an ounce of freeze-one, which costs very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet.

This drug is an ether compound and dries in a moment and simply shrivels up the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin. Clip this out and pin on your wife's dresser.—Adv.

Our Cash System Saves You 5 to 10% on Men's Furnishings

H. HELFRICK & SONS

1216 Calhoun

MAY TURN ANTI-TRUST

LAW ON PAPER PRICES

Inquiry is Expected to Bring Action by Attorney General.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 10.—The investigation by the federal trade commission into the high cost and limited supply of news print paper has rumbled and muttered along over a period of months.

At last it appears that United States Attorney General Gregory may take a hand and that the Sherman anti-trust law may be invoked. But in the meantime what has been happening?

With the contract price of news print paper advanced since the early part of 1916 from less than \$2 per hundred pounds to more than \$3.50, publishers have been put to it to continue in the newspaper business. By decreasing the size of their papers, by eliminating all free copies and in many cases raising subscription prices, newspapers that use sufficient news print to assure them contracts with the manufacturers have been able to make ends meet.

But the small publishers, the proprietors of newspapers in the smaller towns and cities, whose consumption of news print is not sufficient to justify the mills entering into contracts with them, have in instance after instance not been able to make ends meet. Many publishers of this type have been forced to close up shop and go out of business. And WHY?

Because the small publisher, denied a contract, is forced on the open market for his news print.

If capacity to stand punishment has been demanded of the big publisher by the advance in the contract price of paper, the small publisher has been asked to display has been even greater. For open market prices—the only prices with which the big majority of newspaper publishers has any personal experience—have advanced to \$6 and \$7 a hundred pounds!

The public, after months of teeter-tottering by the trade commission, has decided the time has come for a judicial hearing and at last events appear to be shaping themselves in that direction. The manufacturers have withdrawn from the investigation hearings on the score that it would

take months to verify production cost figures recently submitted by the newspaper publishers and that any way the figures are wrong and that further parley is a waste of time.

The trade commission has followed up this action with a communication to Gregory to the effect that the commission is "of the opinion that the inquiry has now reached a state where

further cooperation of the justice department would be advantageous."

And Gregory has replied, saying "I know, of course, from what has already been brought out that a serious condition exists in this trade and that any remedy which the law may afford should be applied at once."

TRY SENTINEL WANT ADS.

HAVE YOUR AUTOMOBILE PAINTED NOW

The logical time to have your car painted and refinished is naturally in the winter, when you have put aside the car during the coldest months.

You should have your car painted when it is not being used and have it ready by spring looking like new.

AND WE MAKE YOUR CAR LOOK LIKE NEW

The City Carriage Works

Cor. Barr and Main Streets. Phone 155.

The Fort Wayne Rendering Co.

Under New Management

—Automobile Service—

Within a Radius of Twenty Miles Daily Service for Collection of Hotel, Restaurant and Meat Market, Greases, Tallow, Bones and Garbage

A Call Will Bring Us Promptly

1700 HOME PHONE

The Protective Electrical Supply Co.

Distributors in Any Quantity of ELECTRICAL, TELEPHONE, AUTO SUPPLIES

Store Closes Saturday, 5 P. M.

130-132 West Columbia Street. Phone 1818, 1917

The Price of Potatoes Sky High

REAL FOOD FACTS

is a very good reason why you should use KRE-MO Sterilized RICE as a vegetable, as this wholesome rice food can be served with brown gravy or a little butter, pepper and salt or many other ways such as is contained in the book of recipes in each package and at about one-half the cost.

UNTIL NOW

you have not been able to procure such an economical food as a package of KRE-MO that will make more than eight pounds of prepared food and in such a quick and easy manner.

A dish of this Smooth Creamy Flavor food is sure to please your palate and satisfy your appetite.



YOUR Grocer will be glad to send you a package with your next order because he knows that you will be pleased.

After the First Taste They

**You'll Know
KRE-MO
15c--ASK YOUR GROCER--15c**

LEGAL NOTICES.

COMMISSIONERS' ALLOWANCES FOR DECEMBER, 1916.

The following list of allowances made by the Board of Commissioners of the County of Allen for the month of December, 1916:

Wm B. Buford, expense auditor.	16.00
Standard Stamp Affixer Co., expense treasurer.	4.00
Indian Refining Co., expense Detention home.	.70
Swift & Co., expense Detention home.	7.35
Swift & Co., expense Fort Recovery.	6.80
Indianapolis Asylum for Friendless Colored Children, care of children.	36.80
Corkin Chemical Co., indse. poor farm.	30.00
Samuel Lewis, indse. court house.	27.30
Moore Oil Co., indse. court house.	10.50
Burroughs Adding Mch. Co., indse. treasurer.	23.82
Munson Supply Co., indse. urer.	1.00
Elliot-Fisher Co., indse. auditor.	5.00
Crown Ribbon & Carbon Mfg. Co., indse. clerk.	1.00
Underwood Typewriter Co., indse. recorder.	13.00
Northwestern Mfg. Co., indse. court house.	143.75
Charles R. Weatherly, indse. court house.	10.00
Home Tel. & Tel. Co., service health commissioner.	28.00
Home Tel. & Tel. Co., service auditor.	7.50
Home Tel. & Tel. Co., service auditor.	1.13
Home Tel. & Tel. Co., service auditor.	.30
Home Tel. & Tel. Co., service commissioners.	.125
Home Tel. & Tel. Co., service new farm.	1.13
D. C. Stout, expense clerk.	1.00
Moore Printing Co., expense clerk.	5.00
W. F. Ranke, treasurer, office expense.	5.00
Recorders' office, expense Frances Schlatter, recorder's expense.	30.00
Dulles Clothing Co., expense D. O. McComb, salary and exp. county superintendent.	10.00
Emm. Matsch, assistant county superintendent.	446.70
E. M. VanBuskirk, health commissioner.	15.00
Miss Emanuel, expense health commissioner.	218.50
Belmont Stables, expense health commissioner.	52.50
C. B. Garmire, expense health commissioner.	2.00
Ft. Wayne Pkg. Co., expense sheriff.	32.50
Ft. Wayne Pkg. Co., expense treasurer.	4.10
Ft. Wayne Pkg. Co., expense auditor.	3.00
Ft. Wayne Pkg. Co., expense clerk.	136.93
T. A. Wilkinson, attendance officer.	34.15
Frank Gruber Boiler Works, repair power house.	102.00
The Paul E. Wolf Building Co., expense court house.	8.20
Wayne Belling & Supply Co., expense court house.	172.20
Troy Toilet Service Co., expense court house.	10.00
Troy Toilet Service Co., expense Fort Recovery.	36.70
Olds Coal Co., expense power house.	654.34
V. M. Nussbaum, expense power house.	28.93
Peter A. Moore, expense court house.	7.50
Moellering Bros. & Millard, expense court house.	37.00
Moellering Bros. & Millard, expense power house.	7.10
Moellering Bros. & Millard, expense court house.	28.93
Ft. Wayne Engineering Mfg. Co., expense power house.	5.85
Ft. Wayne Dist. Tel. Co., expense court house.	13.50
Ft. Wayne Builders Supply Co., expense power house.	7.50
Dreier Drug Co., expense power house.	.84
Brown Trucking Co., hauling.	7.44
Zurbach-Baker Coal Co., expense poor farm.	69.75
Wolf & Dessauer, expense poor farm.	57.75
Wolf & Dessauer, expense jail.	6.83
J. H. Shock, expense poor farm.	69.74
C. C. Schlatter, expense poor farm.	14.73
G. H. Krudup, expense poor farm.	249.05
Jefferson Market House, expense poor farm.	39.50
Indiana Electric App. Co., expense poor farm.	39.14
Wm. Hahn & Co., expense poor farm.	3.37
J. E. T. Co., expense poor farm.	33.25
Ft. Wayne Oil & Supply Co., expense poor farm.	18.00
Ft. Wayne Oil & Supply Co., expense new farm.	20.37
Central Grocery Co., expense poor farm.	5.68
Central Grocery Co., expense poor farm.	4.04
Geo. A. Clapsatt, expense poor farm.	112.17
Isa. Bickel, expense poor farm.	19.35
C. A. Singrey, expense isolation hospital.	37.00
Thursch, expense isolation hospital.	5.73
Protective Elect. Supply Co., repair Orphan's home.	.42
Allen County Orphan's Home, care of children.	712.00
Automotive Registering Corp., expense clerk.	15.43
Journal-Gazette, pub. advertising.	20.20
Fort Wayne Sentinel, pub. advertising.	35.25
Frederic Press Co., pub. advertising.	14.45

SHOPS FORCED TO CLOSE.

Strike of Garment Workers at Philadelphia Effective.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 12.—Union leaders declared today that most of the men and boys' clothing shops in this city would be forced to close as the result of the strike of garment workers, which went into effect yesterday. More than 6,000 workers, according to the leaders, responded to the call immediately and more were expected to follow today. A number of the larger manufacturers denied these claims and stated that but few of their employees walked out. The demands include a reduction in working hours, increased wages and recognition of the union.

Fred Nicole, the Wabash shopman who lost his right hand yesterday morning as he fell at the side of a moving Wabash train, is doing nicely at the St. Joseph hospital and will recover. Mr. Nicole is fifty-two years old. He formerly worked at the Western Gas factory, going to the Wabash two months ago.

LUNCH ROOM FIGHT MEANS SEVEN YEARS

**Tom Bailey, Negro, Must Go
Back to Prison for
Long Term.**

An over-cooked hamburger steak will cost Tom Bailey, 26, negro, seven years of liberty.

He must go back to the state penitentiary to serve a long term because he became incensed about his lunch, in a Lafayette street restaurant, Wednesday night, and attacked John Burton, waiter in the place. Testimony in the trial of Bailey in police court Thursday and Friday morning brought out that he had cut Burton across the back with a knife or razor.

Bailey was convicted on a charge of larceny in a southern Indiana town nearly two years ago. He was sentenced to the state prison for a term of from one to eight years. He was paroled after he had been in the penitentiary little over a year.

When Bailey was released he came to Fort Wayne. He had been in no trouble until he made the assault on the fleeing John Burton Wednesday evening. Patrol Officer Nosman will come to Fort Wayne at once and return Bailey to the penitentiary to serve the remainder of his eight year term.

Prevented a Suicide.
George Kline, 17, from Detroit and who wished to reach St. Louis, climbed on the top of a fast Wabash passenger train Thursday night. The railroad detective saw Kline's form hanging the top of the coach just before the train started. Kline was removed.

"It was just like suicide," the detective told Judge Kerr when Kline was arraigned in police court on a train climbing charge. "He would have been frozen to death before the train was ten miles out of town."

Lost Dancing Man.
Charles Thompson, 28, of Chesterfield, was in woe because he lost his dancing man, a quaint wooden figure, with limbs joined to the body by wire and which dances at beck of Thompson's fingers. Thompson is a victim of spinal meningitis and has a galloping gait to his walk. He has carried his dancing man over most of Indiana. He generally drops in on firemen's conventions and street fairs.

He came to Fort Wayne to make some rickles in some way lost his dancer. His uncanny conduct caused him to be confined in the county jail Thursday. He was released in police court from a loitering charge and arrangements will be made to deport him to Chesterfield.

Other Police Court Cases.
Red Crawford, 40, was fined \$50 and sentenced to thirty days away from the state farm on pleading guilty to a fourth charge of intoxication within the past ten months.

Other cases of public intoxication were: Jack Johnson, fined \$5; John Edwards, Tom Colbert and Charles Fuller, released; Tom Kelly will be tried on Saturday; Oscar Brown and Edward Ryan, released after pleading guilty to loitering charges.

WHITE SLAVE CHARGE MAY COME ON DOCKET

Police Plan to Prosecute Oscar Murphy Under Mann Act.

First case of white slavery for Fort Wayne is being planned by police. Word has been received that Oscar Murphy was accompanied to this city by Esther Weverly, a girl who lived near Grand Rapids, Mich. The couple was taken from a rooming house on Harrison street by police one night last week.

Police Chief Lenz believes the case is a clear violation of the federal white slave law. Lenz will take the case up with T. J. Logan, deputy government commissioner, Friday afternoon.

If Logan concurs in the belief that the spirit of the Mann act has been disregarded by Murphy, he will call for a preliminary examination of the principals. The first arraignment would be before Logan, in his office, in the government building. Logan would bind Murphy over to Judge Anderson's court in Indianapolis if he felt that Murphy might be guilty of breaking the white slave law. Trial of the case would be in Indianapolis.

Murphy is married and has two children, who are with his wife in a little Missouri town, police say they have learned. Murphy went to Michigan to work a year ago, word has come here. Esther Weverly, a girl and who has spent her life on the farm, was infatuated by winning ways of Murphy, ten years her senior, police say.

Girl Came With Him.
When Murphy came to Fort Wayne, to work, several weeks ago, the girl came with him, police claim. The couple were living together in a rooming house on Harrison street when police raided their room. The pair offered to plead guilty to a charge of fornication.

Judge Kerr ordered the case held open for a few days to allow investigation. In the meantime police have sent out letters to points with Murphy and his friends. Startling answers to their inquiries were received Thursday night.

Case of Murphy and the girl was to have been disposed of in police court Friday morning. Judge Kerr ordered continuance until January 19. Both Miss Weverly and Murphy are held under heavy bonds.

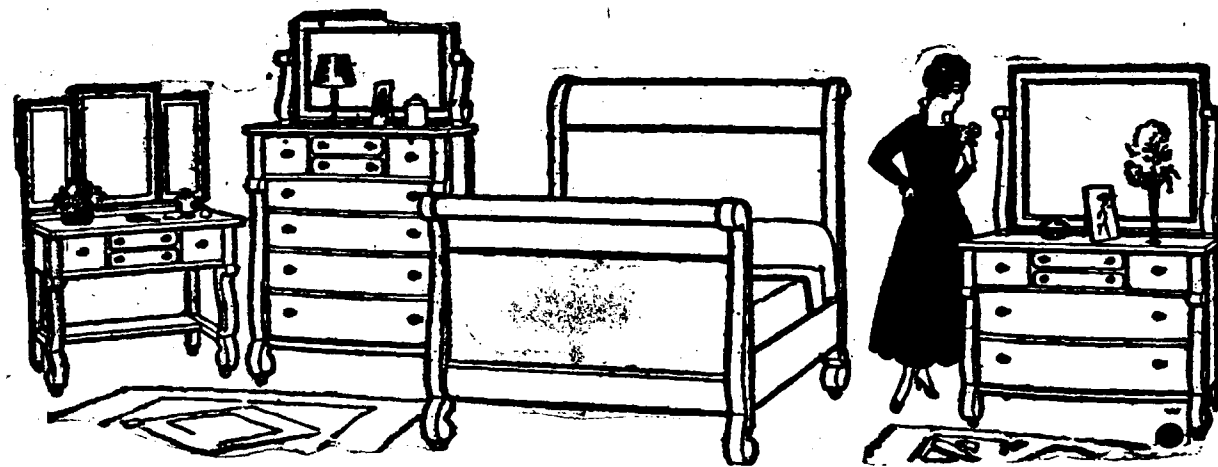
Police Chief Lenz expects to have action on the case at once. He will ask that Murphy be prosecuted to the limit. If Murphy is convicted in federal court he will receive a long penitentiary sentence.

"If this man is guilty, as we hear he is, there is no law too severe to punish him," Chief Lenz said.

PICKARD'S

Red Tag Sale Reductions On Colonial Bed Room Furniture

Made Regardless of the General Increase in the Cost
of Furniture All Over the Country.



This Gives You An Accurate Idea of the "Colonial
Style" in Bed Room Furniture.

Two-Piece Bed Room Suites-- Consisting of Bed and Dresser

\$38.00 Bed Room Suite, consisting of an All Oak and Plate Glass Dresser with Bed to match; Now **\$30.75**

\$49.00 Bed Room Suite, consisting of a Quartered Oak and Plate Glass Dresser with Bed to match; Now **\$38.75**

\$49.50 Bed Room Suite, consisting of Circassian Walnut and Plate Glass Dresser with Bed to match; Now **\$39.85**

\$72.00 Bed Room Suite, consisting of a Genuine Mahogany and Plate Glass Dresser with Bed to match; Now **\$57.75**

CHIFFONIERS

\$15.75 Oak Chiffonier with plate glass mirror; Now **\$13.29**

\$17.75 Birch Mahogany Chiffonier with plate glass mirror; Now **\$14.75**

\$39.00 Circassian Walnut Chiffonier with plate glass mirror; Now **\$30.85**

Colonial Dressers

\$15.75 All Oak and Plate Glass Dresser; Now **\$12.85**

\$19.00 All Oak and Plate Glass Dresser; Now **\$14.95**

\$21.00 Birch Mahogany and Plate Glass Dresser; Now **\$15.75**

\$18.00 Oak and Plate Glass Princess Dresser; Now **\$14.45**

\$30.00 Circassian Walnut and Plate Glass Dresser; Now **\$24.75**

\$40.00 White Enamel and Plate Glass Dresser; Now **\$21.95**

\$22.50 Birch Mahogany and Plate Glass Princess Dresser; Now **\$16.45**

\$18.00 Oak and Plate Glass Princess Dresser; Now **\$14.45**

DRESSING TABLES

\$14.25 Oak Dressing Table; Now **\$10.95**

\$17.75 Quartered Oak Dressing Table; Now **\$13.45**

\$18.50 Mahogany Dressing Table; Now **\$15.95**

\$21.00 Bird's Eye Maple Dressing Table; Now **\$16.85**

Remember, These Are But Samples of the Reductions
Pickard's Are Making On All Classes of Furniture

Remaining Lace Curtains at Less Than Half

\$1.75 Curtains, now, per pair. . . . 58c \$3.75 Curtains, now, per pair. . . . \$1.38

\$2.00 Curtains, now, per pair. . . . 88c \$4.25 Curtains, now, per pair. . . . \$1.90

\$2.50 Curtains, now, per pair. . . . 98c \$5.50 Curtains, now, per pair. . . . \$3.48



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HOUSE FURNISHING CO.

112-114-116 EAST COLUMBIA ST.

Store only ONE SQUARE north and a FEW FEET east from the TRANSFER CORNER.

Northern Indiana News Brevities

South Bend has an epidemic of typhoid fever, with twenty-eight cases reported. The city health department is unable to trace the source of the disease, water and milk being declared good.

The inheritance tax in the estate of the late Elizabeth Metzger, of Warsaw, has been fixed at \$125.21. The estate is valued at \$13,504.04.

Mary A. Colloway, aged 76, and a resident of Wayne township, Kosciusko county, has been adjudged insane in the court of Justice Henry Graham.

The advisory board of Washington township, Blackford county, has decided to build a new high school building at Roll.

George Thompson, of Hartford City, died Wednesday night in an Indianapolis hospital.

The taxes due Wells county from the C. B. & C. railroad, and which may be paid if the sale now pending is perfected, amounts to \$35,000. It has been suggested that if this money is paid it should be used in the construction of a county hospital.

Thomas Griffith, of Cayuga, Ind., an employee in the Clover Leaf bridge construction gang, was painfully injured near Bluffton, when some piling, which was being lifted into position, struck him on the right shoulder and on the back of the head.

The Spanish-American war veterans of Indiana will hold their annual meeting at Culver, May 9 and 10, and reunion of the 157th will be held there at the same time.

Judge S. E. Cook, of Huntington, has collected all the slow-fire and missing-link divorce cases on his docket, some of them filed years ago, and will ask that they be acted on or dismissed. Some of the parties have died, and others wish they were dead.

The Shoe Sale Every Woman Has Been Waiting For Lehman's Semi-Annual Clearance BEGAN THIS MORNING



There are possibly more "broken lots" in the shoe business than any other line. Twice a year we clean out all these odd lots by reducing the price to cost and less.

This Year the Prices Are Amazingly
Low Considering the Leather Situation

Making the sale of utmost importance, for it includes every broken lot in stock, no matter how new the style, or how lately received. Note the prices.

Women's Shoes at \$2.45

Shoes that were formerly \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.00

Women's Novelty Shoes

Regularly priced at \$8.00 and

\$9.00, now **\$5.45**

Regularly priced at \$7.50,

now **\$4.95**

Regularly priced at \$5.00,

now **\$3.45**

\$11.00 Grade Buck Shoes, now **\$7.85**

Women's Shoes at \$1.95

Shoes that were formerly \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00

Men's Shoes at \$2.85

Shoes that were formerly \$5.00 and \$6.00

Men's Shoes at \$3.15

Shoes that were formerly \$4.00 and \$4.50

LEHMAN SHOE COMPANY

925 Calhoun Street.

SENTINEL WANT ADS. ALWAYS GET RESULTS.

Learn How to Make the Newest

Sweaters, Kimonos, Scarfs, Baby Wear, Afghans, Indian Blankets With THE FLEISHER YARNS

Miss Currier is here to teach you anything you wish to know about knitting and crocheting and to explain to you why garments made of these yarns are so soft and warm, shape-retaining and durable. We know that you will agree with us that THE FLEISHER YARNS are worthy of your finest skill.

More For Your Money at
Tepper's
110-112-114 E. Berry St.-Fort Wayne-Ind.

All the Dresses Greatly Reduced
LOT 1—Fine French Serge Dresses, \$6.95—Dresses just received and were offered at the special prices of \$9.95 and \$10.95.
LOT 2—New Serge Dresses at \$9.95—A fine assortment and all good styles. Dresses that recently sold at \$14.95.
LOT 3—\$22.50 Serge Dresses at \$13.95.
LOT 4—Silk Dresses; Choice, \$8.95—Beauties, every one of them; many among them sold as high as \$16.75.
LOT 5—Silk and Velvet Dresses at \$14.95—Rich costumes—velvet, crepe de chine, crepe meteur and taffetas; new colors; values up to \$29.50.
LOT 6—Evening Dresses at \$5.95—These Dresses are slightly soiled from window display, but still fine garments, that sold as high as \$15.95.
All Other Evening Dresses at Greatly Reduced Prices.



Go Where the Crowds Go!

Off With a Rush—Full of Vim and Vigor—Tepper's Semi-Annual Clearance Sale

THE GREATEST SALE EVENT OF THE YEAR

The Year 1917 Will Bring No Greater Value-giving Sale Than This Remarkable Out-Clearing

This is a Sale unique in the mercantile history of Fort Wayne. It is a Clearance Sale in the best sense of the meaning of Clearance Sale—an unparalleled Clearance of merchandise of the Highest Quality—at such low prices as set new record in economical purchasing. Thousands of eager buyers have placed their approval upon this sale by their unstinted patronage of the opening days—greater and greater grows the enthusiasm with each succeeding day. From far and near people are flocking to this wonderful event. Come today—Come tomorrow for your share of these savings.

- \$1.50 Angora Cap and Scarf Sets, get this sure; sale price **98c**
- Fine Assortment Ladies' Neckwear values up to 35c; choice **19c**
- Newest in Ladies' Neckwear values up to 75c; choice **35c**
- Large Selection of Ladies' Neckwear values to \$1.00; sale price **69c**
- The Very Finest Ladies' Neckwear including sets; 1.50 values; choice **98c**
- Up to 75c Values in Fancy Jewellery fine assortment; choice **39c**
- Ladies' \$1.25 Crepe Gowns dainty patterns; choice **98c**
- Regular 50c White Silk Gloves double finger tips; pair **39c**
- Made Up Samples, Royal Society Dresses hand embroidered; 20 per cent. discount.
- Entire Stock of Fur Trimmings at HALF PRICE.
- Mercerized T a b l e Damask regular 59c quality; sale price, yard **45c**
- 5c Hemmed Barber Towels; dozen **49c**
- Regular 35c Gingham Aprons extra full; blue only; sale price **29c**
- 27 Inches Wide, 20c Colored Poplins all colors and white; yard **12½c**
- Up to 39c Values White Pique wide and narrow wale; 1 to 10 yard lengths; special, yard at **18c**
- 45c-Yard Wide Colored Percales night and dark; yard **10c**
- 25c Madras, 37 Inches Wide white grounds; shirting designs; special yard at **19c**
- Regular \$1.00 Muslim Gowns soiled from display; close out at **79c**
- Regular 10c White Outing 27 inches wide; sale price; yard at **6c**
- No Goods On Approval—No C. O. D.'s—None Exchanged—Cash Only.

Here is News for Thrifty Minded Women--the Garment Sections Speak

An Out-Clearing that Seems Hardly Possible of Our Entire Stock of
NEW WINTER SUITS



Such sweeping reductions will crowd the Garment Section with eager buyers—just for these Suits. Every favored style, every fashionable fabric and every color conceit is included in this out-clearing.

Suits at \$7.95

Nobby Suits of Serges and Poplins; colors, blue, brown and black; worth up to \$15.95.

Suits at \$10.95

Whipcords and Poplins, colors, blue, black, brown and green; worth up to \$22.50.

Suits at \$8.95

Just a few gabardine and heavy cheviots; green and blue only; values up to \$27.50.

Suits at \$14.95

All the new colors and fabrics. Fur trimmed and plain; a wonderful assortment.

Up to \$50 Suits to go at \$19.95

Of course, this is the best of all—only one suit of a kind in this group. Highest quality broadcloths, velours and gabardines. Get in quick.

The Greatest Corset Clearance of the Season

1 Lot Corsets—That run in value up to \$3.00—all good style and all standard makes—all sizes; choice **\$1.49**
1 Lot Corsets—Full value up to \$4.00—many wonderful values to be found in these Corsets—best makes, too—at **\$2.49**

1 Lot Corsets—For less than half, as values run to \$2.00; all good styles and sizes; take your choice for **98c**
1 Special Lot of Corsets—\$1.00 values; sale price **79c**

Priced Unusually Low to Effect a Quick Clearance
THE NEW COAT

With still several months of winter weather ahead—embracing as this sale does, every coat in our stock and offering unlimited opportunity for selection makes them easily the greatest values of the season. Every latest model, all fabrics, and all favored colors are included.

Sport Coats, \$2.98

In all-wool materials, clever novelties, 38 inches in length. It would be a shame to tell the regular price.

Coats at \$5.95

Good coats in wool plush, zibelines, plaids and novelties; they sold at high as \$15.00.

Still Better—

Coats at \$7.95

Mostly novelties and plain colors; fabrics are cheviots, pebble cheviot and mixtures. Models with belts and large collars; that sold up to \$18.50.

Coats at \$9.50

A big assortment of novelties and tweeds. Yankee Bolivians, Velours and Broadcloths; sizes from 16 to 55; blue, brown, green, mustard and black; values to \$24.50.



COATS FIT FOR A QUEEN AT \$12.95

Rich Wool Velours in all the new shades; large collars and velvet trimmed; also two-toned velours; values to \$27.50. Other fine coats priced at \$15.95, \$19.50, \$21.95 and \$24.95.

Unusual Clearance Savings

- 9c Apron Gingham—In neat checks; absolutely fast colors; Sale price, the yard **6c**
- Toile du Nord Gingham—New colors and patterns; sold now all over at 15c; Sale price, the yard **12½c**
- Imperial Chambrays—In an excellent assortment of desirable colors; Sale price, the yard **15c**
- 12½c Percales—In a wide range of fine patterns and colors; Sale price, the yard **10c**
- Genuine Galatea Cloth—Regular 25c quality; new colors and effects; Sale price, the yard now **19c**
- Romper Cloth—This sturdy fabric in the sale at, the yard **15c**
- Regular 10c Shirting Madras—In the newest stripe effects; Sale price, the yard **15c**
- Comforter Challies—Of extra good quality and in the wanted patterns and colors; Sale price, the yard **12½c**
- Comforter Sateens—You'll search a long ways to find better; sale price, the yard **21c**
- 32-inch White Stripe Madras—25c quality; very dainty; Sale price, the yard **21c**
- 30-inch Lawn Stripe Dimities—very special for the sale, the yard **12½c**
- 25c Quality Plisse Crepe—Saves ironing and makes up so nicely; Sale price, the yard **21c**

ALL PREVIOUSLY ADVERTISED PRICES STILL IN FORCE.

- Women's \$1.50 Black Wool Vests closing them out at **98c**
- Women's \$1.50 All Wool Pants red, grey and cream **98c**

A Mighty Clearance in Silks and Woolens
The Dress Goods Section In With Ample Savings
Extra Special—2500 Yds. Brand New Shimmering

Black Silks

- THOUSANDS OF YARDS OF OTHER FINE SILKS—CLEARANCE PRICES
- 50c Silk and Cotton Crepe de Chine; full 36 inches wide; Sale Price, the yard **36½c**
- 75c Georgette Crepe; silk and cotton; 36 inches wide; Sale Price, the yard **59c**
- 50c Tussah Silks in the wanted stripes; 36 inches wide; Sale Price, the yard **35c**
- 50c Tub Silks, 32 inches wide; lovely stripes; Sale Price, the yard **37c**
- 75c Satin Striped Tub Silks; dainty effects; 32 inches wide; Sale Price, the yard **59c**
- 81.19 Striped Tub Silks; full yard wide; all in the sale at **98c**
- 81.29 Striped Tub Silks; yard wide, in a fine selection; Sale Price, the yard **\$1.10**
- 81.00 Taffetas and Messalines in stripes and fancies; Sale Price, the yard **69c**
- WOOL DRESS GOODS AT WONDERFUL SAVINGS
- 69c Storm Serges and Novelties; 36 inches wide; Sale Price, the yard **50c**
- 89c Storm Serges and Novelties; 30 inches wide; Sale Price, the yard **65c**

- Full 36 and 40 inches wide in such wanted silks as Lustrous Taffetas, Peau de Soie, Messalines, Surrah, Serges, Moires, Marquisettes, Bengalines and Failles. Silks that run in value up to \$2.00. Special for this January Clearance Sale at **1.29 ya**
- 81.25 Taffetas and Messalines in stripe and plaid effects; Sale Price, the yard **98c**
- 81.39 values; Sale Price, the yard **\$1.19**
- 81.75 values; Sale Price, the yard **\$1.39**
- 81.98 and \$2.25 values, the yard **\$1.69**
- 81.25 Messaline Silk; extra heavy; 27 inches wide; Sale Price, the yard **89c**
- 81.50 Messaline Silk; extra heavy; 36 inches wide; Sale Price, the yard **\$1.25**
- 81.75 Society Satins; full yard wide; newest shades; Sale Price, the yard **\$1.49**
- 82.25 Charmeuse Silk; full 40 inches wide; lovely shades; Sale Price, the yard **\$1.69**
- 81.30 Chiffon Taffeta; 36 inches wide; waisted shades; Sale Price, the yard **\$1.25**
- 81.75 values, at the yard **\$1.50**
- 82.00 Gross de Londres; full yard wide; wanted colors; Sale Price, the yard **\$1.69**
- 82.50 Pussy Willow Taffetas; 40 inches wide; newest shades; Sale Price, yd. **\$1.89**
- 81.00 Silk Velvet; 18 inches wide and of excellent quality; Sale Price, the yard **89c**
- 81.99 Costume Velvets; 24 and 27 inches wide; in the sale at, the yard **\$1.19**
- 82.25 Chiffon Velvets; yard wide but in black only; Sale Price, the yard **\$2.75**
- 82.50 Chiffon Velvet; 40 inches wide; black only; Sale Price, the yard **\$3.75**
- 81.25 Black Taffetas; 32 inches wide; extra quality; Sale Price, the yard **87c**
- 81.50 Fine Dress Goods; 45 inches wide; all wanted fabrics; Sale Price, the yard **\$1.19**
- 81.75 values, the yard **\$1.49**
- 82.00 and 82.25 Fine Coatings; 52 inches wide; all kinds; Sale Price, the yard **\$1.59**

Unusual Clearance Savings

- 27-inch Indian Linen—Very sheer and as white as snow; sale price, the yard **15c**
- Persian Lawn—44 inches wide; of finest quality; good value; at, the yard **29c**
- Up to \$1.00 Waists—Fine assortment voile and organdies; in the sale at, each **49c**
- 319.50 Tapestry Rugs—Room size, in a fine assortment of wanted designs and colorings, each **\$15.00**
- 30.00 Wilton Velvet Rugs—Oriental and Floral designs; new color combinations; Sale price **\$25.00**
- 350.00 Genuine Wilton Rugs—Rich designs and colors; Sale price, special, each **\$33.50**
- 5c and 18c Swiss—In fancy patterns; sale price, the yard **12½c**
- 6-inch Ecu Scrims—Bordered at the yard **10c**
- New Marquisettes—Full standard; very and white; special, the yard, 5c and **19c**
- Finest Voiles—With borders; white only; Sale price, the yard **21c**
- 9c Colored Madras for Draping—Sale price, the yard **25c**
- Beautiful Lace Nets—White, ivory and ecru; priced special at 22½c, 27c, 19c and **15c**
- Special Qualities in Fillet Laces—As always, yard **25c**
- ALL BLANKETS AT 10% OFF OUR REGULAR LOW PRICE.
- 1.25 Washable Cape Kid Gloves white, pearl, champagne; sale price; pair **\$1.00**
- While It Lasts, 8½c 27-Inch Outing pink and blue checks; sale price, the yard **6c**

- Women's Muslin Drawers 25c values, but slightly soiled from display; special at **21c**
- 12½c Unbleached Sheetting full 4 quarters wide; extra heavy; sale price, yard **92c**
- 10-yard Limit.
- Initial Pillow Cases odd lots; worth up to 25c; broken initials; choice, each **19c**
- Dresser Scarfs; Hand Embroidered shiny lace trim; each **\$1.98**
- Dresser Scarfs; Hand Embroidered scalloped edges; very special at **\$1.49**
- Beacon Bath Robe Flannels in all the newest and popular designs and colorings; sale price, yd **26c**
- Kid Finish Cambric light tan color only; 50 value; the yard, only **4c**
- Ladies' and Men's Cambric Handchiefs plain hemmed; very special at **4½c**
- Ladies' Silk Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs; new line just in; each **21c**
- Genuine Leather Hand Bags and Strap Purse; new line; worth \$1.25; **93c**
- Boudoir Caps, Lovely Colors fainty trims; sold up to 50; now **19c**
- Up to 35c Fancy Ribbons checks and stripes; special sale price, yard at **19c**
- Jap Quilted Jack-ets; Finest Silk extra padded; regular at \$1.25; sale price **98c**
- Regular \$3.00 Silk Quilted Jackets with sleeves; special sale price at **\$2.45**
- Silk Corset Covers our regular 59c values, all in the sale; special, each at **49c**
- Our entire stock of Beautiful Electric Lamps, 25 per cent. discount.
- Regular 5c R. M. C. Crochet Cotton 3 balls for **10c**
- \$1 Tam o'Shanter the newest thing; sale price at **79c**
- Children's 50c Knit Caps of warmest yarns **39c**
- No Goods On Approval—No C. O. D.'s—None Exchanged—Cash Only.

Every Trimmed Hat Must Go Regardless of Former Markings



Hats	Hats	Hats
That sold up to \$4	That sold up to \$8	That sold up to \$14
49c	\$1.00	\$1.98

This collection is remarkable for its attractive shapes and favored trimmings. Chic Turbans and large Velvet Hats trimmed with fur and ornaments and various sorts of gold and silver lace hats fur and floral trimmed: exceptional qualities

\$1.98, \$1.00, 49c

GATES & COMPANY

SHOP AND RAILROAD NEWS

TWENTY PACEMAKERS

GET \$250 EACH

**Bowser Company Distributes
Over \$12,000 Among the
170 HUSTLERS.**

Over \$12,000 were distributed among the members of the "Pacemakers" club by S. F. Bowser & Company this morning. Of this sum, \$5,000 went to twenty men, because they had been pacemakers for five consecutive years, each receiving \$250. The remaining \$7,000 was distributed among 150 pacemakers, the amounts ranging from \$50 to \$125, according to the number of consecutive years the recipients had been pacemakers. One year man got \$50, the two year man \$75, the three year man \$100 and the four year man \$125. The selection of who had been pacemakers five consecutive years and who received \$250 each were C. R. Eggleston, A. G. Harten, W. V. Crandall, R. S. Johnson, H. T. Purdy, D. W. Darden, W. N. Deming, F. W. Devaux, R. L. Duncan, E. F. Klotz, R. D. Leonard, R. Coddington, J. W. Mickle, E. L. Millon, F. H. Richardson, R. H. Shierlock, W. C. Smith, D. Ward, J. Ward and T. C. Poole.

Promotions and Changes.
General Manager S. B. Bechtel made some interesting announcements at the meeting this morning. D. M. Kagay, of Aurora, Ill., has been transferred to Fort Wayne and named to the office of advertising manager. He succeeds C. D. Wheeler, who resigned in October to take a position at Lima, O. Mr. Kagay will move here as soon as possible.

R. S. Colwell, of New York, whose men were the winners of the big loving cup, has been appointed eastern manager, with headquarters in Fort Wayne, succeeding E. J. Little, who resigned two months ago to take a position with the Wildwood Builders. Mr. Colwell, who has a family, will move to Fort Wayne as soon as he can make the necessary arrangements. Other changes are the transfer of A. D. Carriger from the Louisville to the Chicago district and the transfer of H. C. Storr, mid-western manager, with headquarters in Fort Wayne, to Harrisburg. No successor to Mr. Carriger at Louisville has been named.

The Last Day's Meeting.
The business and social gatherings today were of great interest and were possibly enjoyed more than on former days because of the better acquaintance between the pacemakers. The talks, which were made by E. J. Gallmeyer, J. P. O'Neil, D. A. Corey, W. G. Zart, Harvey Smith McGowan and S. F. Bowser, the latter making the closing address of the business sessions of the convention, were especially interesting and the social features were of unusual interest. One of these not on the printed program was a visit of the visiting ladies and the entertainment committee of the Bowser local ladies to the big shops. The ladies were greatly interested, many of

them getting their first view of the work of building Bowser oil tanks and pumps.

Reception and Banquet.
Interest now centers upon the doings at the Anthony tonight. The banquet to the visiting ladies and the Bowser ladies' entertainment committee will be held at 5:30 o'clock; the informal reception on the mezzanine floor at 7 o'clock, followed at 8 o'clock by the annual pacemakers' banquet in the big banquet room. Immediately at the close of the banquet, the pacemakers will begin to leave the city for their respective homes.

HOD CARRIERS' UNION

Starts With a Membership of Over Thirty.

With a membership of thirty-five, preliminary organization of the Hod Carriers' union was effected last night. The temporary officers are: President, H. W. Harvey; vice president, J. A. Brown; recording secretary, H. Price; financial secretary, M. Brock; treasurer, Frank Spindler; sergeant at arms, Moses Taylor; guard, George Smith. The meeting was held in labor headquarters under the auspices of President J. C. Werkman, of the Barbers' union, one of the "live wires" in Fort Wayne labor union movements. The attendance was good and the interest great. Next Thursday there will be another meeting in labor headquarters, when more names will be added to the roll.

TOM HIBBINS IN HOSPITAL.

Thomas H. Hibbins, foreman of the roofing department of the Pennsylvania, is in the Lutheran hospital with a painful case of blood poisoning. Several days ago he had one of his hands cut on a sheetiron pipe and not considering the wound of any consequence, did not give it the attention necessary and infection was the result. He is doing well, it is said, and will soon leave the hospital. Mr. Hibbins has been employed as slate and tin roofer on the Western division of the Pennsylvania for over a third of a century and a good portion of that time he has been foreman of the department.

ADAM COLLIS BETTER.

A thorough examination developed the fact that Adam Collis did not break any bones when he fell down the elevator shaft in the Lau building Wednesday morning. His side was painfully bruised and "shaken up" when he alighted on a crossbar of iron at the bottom of the shaft, but the surgeon says that the injury is not of a permanent character. Expressions of sympathy were heard on all sides in the Pennsylvania machine shop when it became known Mr. Collis was hurt. The old man worked in that shop many years and all the "boys" like him.

JUBILANT OVER VICTORY.

The result of the basketball game at St. Paul's hall last night between the Bowser and the Pennsylvania teams put the enthusiastic fans in a jubilant humor. They were not, it

appears, expecting such a decisive victory, though none would admit that there was a possibility of the Pennsylvania team being beaten. Manager C. W. Grosvenor found himself in the roll of hero this morning, so many were the congratulatory greetings showered upon him. "It was an unkind act to beat the Bowser on Pacemakers' week," he said, "but we couldn't just help it."

SECRETARY PEIRCE RETURNS.

E. W. Peirce, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., arrived home at 11 o'clock this morning. He attended a conference of Railroad Y. M. C. A. secretaries and other officers at New York last Monday and Tuesday and then made a tour of the big cities in the east, inspecting Y. M. C. A. buildings with a view of getting ideas for use in planning for the Y. M. C. A. to be carried on the site of Hope hospital.

MANY TO ATTEND CONVENTION.

Nearly every member of the Master Painters' association will attend the Indiana state association, which begins its annual gathering at Richmond next Tuesday, January 16. The local recently elected following officers: President, Clem Jange; vice president, F. W. Busse; secretary, William Page; treasurer, G. Halter; trustees, O. S. Jones, L. Brunner and W. Buckles.

INSPECTING WEST END LINE.

Supt. Otto Schroll, of the Pennsylvania, and some of his staff officers are out on the west end of the line on an inspection trip today. They have a special train and with Supt. Schroll are Division Engineer Guy Scott, Assistant Division Engineer H. T. Symphon, Trainmaster C. L. Hamilton, Master Carpenter D. C. Zook, Division Operator H. B. Reynolds and others.

M. KELLEHER BADLY HURT.

Machinist M. Kelleher, of the Pennsylvania round house, was out today for the first time since Monday. He has to use a cane. Mr. Kelleher fell off a scaffold while handling some superheater pipes and one of the pipes fell upon him, cutting a bad gash in his left leg. He will be unable to work for several days.

TRAIN LOAD OF DOCTORS.

No. 215, the Pennsylvania's Broadway limited, westbound, will run in two sections tomorrow morning. The second section will carry a number of physicians and surgeons from the east en route to Chicago.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

D. Stout, recently from Ohio, took employment at the Pennsylvania power plant.

O. S. Adams, brass moulder at the Pennsylvania shops, is sick and off duty.

Joseph W. Guehe, a boilermaker's helper, has taken employment at the Pennsylvania shops.

General Yardmaster J. L. Gogarty, of the Wabash, and his wife have been visiting at Decatur, Ill., their old home, for several days.

Dan Springer, a fireman at the Pennsylvania power plant, is taking a day or two off to look after some private business.

H. J. Beckman, of the machine shop, and C. O. Sweeney, of the airbrake room at the Pennsylvania shops, are sick and off duty.

L. E. Oates, machinist on the night gang at the Pennsylvania toolroom, has recovered from an illness which kept him from work several nights.

Mrs. B. R. Stanbury, wife of the Pennsylvania shopman, is quite sick at the family home, having been down eight days with the grip.

Chief Clerk W. L. Witt, of the Pennsylvania motive power office, is in Pittsburg on business for the company.

E. C. Tegtmeyer, H. A. Bovine, B. H. Parrish and F. Digiovanno, are not at work in the Pennsylvania erecting shop this morning on account of sickness.

H. J. Broshear and O. B. Jones took jobs and George Ake resigned at the Pennsylvania machine shop this morning. Mr. Ake worked there only a week or two.

Mrs. H. L. Reed, wife of the chief clerk of the Nickel Plate round house and shops, is recovering from a severe illness. She was quite sick for several days.

Michael J. Krock, foreman of yard laborers at the Pennsylvania store department, sprained one of his ankles Wednesday and is off duty on that account. It was reported that he was sick.

Foreman F. C. Meyers, of the vice

department of the Pennsylvania shops, is short of help today, a number of his men being sick. Among the absentees are Machinists Karl Bahlinger, E. J. Kessman, Harry Creigh and L. J. Griffin.

Chief Clerk E. F. Stephen, of the Pennsylvania superintendent's office, is at his desk again, after a day's absence as the result of falling in a street car when going to the office yesterday morning. His car and the left side of his head was injured and the wound caused sickness.

E. W. Mitchell, J. P. Bachelor and J. L. Bobay, painters at the Pennsylvania shops, are at Rome City fishing through the ice. It is said that an unusual number of fish are being caught, and particularly bass, at the lakes this winter. Earl Lowry, a tinner at the Pennys shops, is preparing to go to Atwood to fish tomorrow.

Announcement of various roads that light lunches now are available to travelers in the day coaches of their passenger trains leads Service News, monthly publication devoted to the interests of the Nickel Plate, to come forth with a claim that the Nickel Plate was the rail pioneer in offering this class of service to patrons. These lunches have been popular on the Nickel Plate for a number of years.

IN THE CHURCHES

VOTING AT Y. W. C. A. FOR NEW DIRECTORS

**Balloting is Light at Early
Hour Friday After-
noon.**

The polls at the Y. W. C. A. opened at 9:00 o'clock Friday morning and up until an early hour in the afternoon the voting was light in the election of new members to the board of directors of the association, but those in charge expected many more people to express their wishes late in the afternoon and in the evening. The polls will be open until 9 o'clock.

Nine candidates were nominated for seven vacancies. In former years the percentage of the membership which voted has been very small and the officers of the association expect it to be much larger this year. The names of the candidates are Mrs. A. J. Vesey, a retiring officer; Mrs. F. J. Hayden, Mrs. A. H. Perfect and Mrs. Charles Gumpfer, candidates for re-election, and the following candidates for first term: Mrs. George Jacobs, Mrs. William McBride, Mrs. Harry Fletcher, Mrs. Jules Simon and Mrs. E. H. Underwood.

Reports from the "gym" classes indicate that that department is thriving under the direction of Miss Bill. Some new apparatus has been placed in the gym and there are many new registrations in the classes. Several affairs have been planned for this department which will be announced later.

YOUNG LADIES ENTERTAIN.

Give Reception for New Officers and Members.

A reception was given in the auditorium of the new Cathedral boys' school Thursday evening by the Young Ladies' sodality, in honor of the new officers and members. A great many people attended and the affair was pronounced a decided success.

A luncheon which was served late in the evening, corsage bouquets were presented to each of the new officers. Rev. John R. Quinlan addressed those present, congratulating outgoing officers on splendid work done and wishing the new officers just as great success.

The new officers follow: Miss Elizabeth Neff, prefect; Miss Elizabeth Bonfield, assistant prefect; Miss Catherine Staub, secretary; Miss Clara Schone, treasurer; Miss Katherine Cunningham and Miss Frances Rolap collectors; Miss Alberta Juff and Miss Florence Delegrange, sacristans. In these offices they succeed Miss Anna Schneider, Miss Florence Baker, Miss Irene Noll, Miss Marie Nolan, Mrs. Phil Reilly, Mrs. Miss Isabel McDonald, Miss Alice Martin, Miss Margaret Leahy and Miss Grace Kelley.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY.

Elects Officers for Year in Meeting Thursday Night.

At a meeting of the Holy Name society of the Cathedral, officers for the year 1917 were elected. The meeting was held in the assembly rooms of Library hall and presided over by Rev. John R. Quinlan. Stephen Reed was elected to the presidency of the society and the other new officers are as follows: Louis Gorman, vice president; Phillip Lordier, treasurer; Arthur Kelker, corresponding secretary; William Koester, financial secretary; James J. Hayes, Carl J. Weber, Frank X. Didier and John J. Woulfe, consultants; James B. Cahill, marshal; F. J. Laurent, assistant marshal; Prof. Francis MacVeigh, musical director; George Fienstein, sacristan; Louis Braun, sacristan; Julian Henry, banner bearer.

TALKS TO STUDENTS.

Professor Richey Addresses Members of Bible Class.

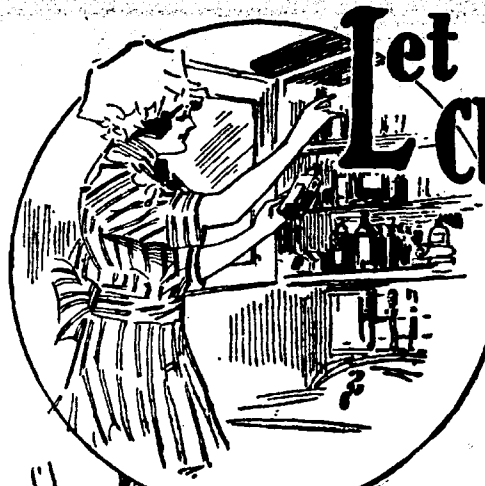
Members of the Barack Bible class of St. First M. church and their guests, totaling nearly one hundred people, enjoyed a banquet in the basement of the church Thursday evening. Prof. Lawrence Richey, professor of chemistry in the Van Wert High school, was the principal speaker, using as his subject, "Elements of Success."

CARD OF THANKS.

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THE CHILDREN

Let Meyer's Check Winter Ailments



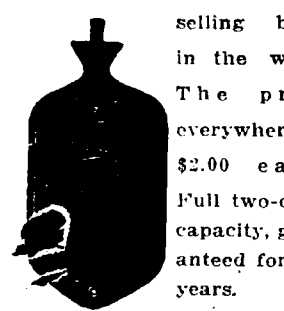
**Keystone Red Spruce
Cough Balsam, 25c & 50c**

Don't go on coughing all winter long when you can prevent it with Keystone Red Spruce Cough Balsam! It is a tried and proven remedy, and requires but a few doses to do the work. Meyer's recommend it and stand behind it.

Keystone Cold Tablets, 25c

This is also a tried and proven remedy. It knocks a cold out in short order. After a few doses it has a slightly laxative effect—just enough to do the work. It's worth a hundred times the cost to a person with a bad cold.

**Maximum
Hot Water
Bottle, \$2.00**



The largest selling bottle in the world. The price everywhere is \$2.00 each. Full two-quart capacity, guaranteed for two years.

**Maxixe
Cherries, 39c**

A luscious cherry enclosed in a thick shell of chocolate. They literally melt in your mouth.

**Martan
Chocolates,
39c**

A beautiful red box containing Maple and Vanilla Creams with Walnut, Filberts, Brazil Nuts, Peanuts and whole Roasted Almonds, chocolate covered.

**Rexall Cold
Cream, 25c**

An antiseptic and healing cold cream, especially recommended for chapping and roughness of the skin caused by exposure.



Keystone Hand Lotion for Chapped Hands

Rough and chapped hands are so uncomfortable. And there is really no excuse for them—not when Keystone Hand Lotion heals them up so quickly and so thoroughly. The result of its use is a soft, smooth skin. It comes in two sizes—15c and 25c

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**White Youth in Arkansas Attacked a
Negro Girl.**

Ashdown, Ark., Jan. 12.—Fred Edwards, a white youth, of Texarkana, Ark., today is under sentence of ninety-nine years in state's prison for having attacked a negro girl. He was convicted in circuit court here yesterday.

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THE CHILDREN.

NEGRO BOY IS HANGED.

Georgia Executes Penalty for Attack on White Girl.

McDonough, Ga., Jan. 12.—Harry Sutton, 16-year-old negro, convicted of assaulting a 10-year-old white girl Dec. 3, was hanged here today.

New York is spending \$330,000,000 on subway construction.

Government crematory stations are to be found in all parts of Japan.

Notes of Knights of Columbus Lodge

On January 15 the worthy grand knight and staff of the Knights of Columbus will exemplify the first degree to a class of candidates.

Considering the great interest shown on the occasion of Rev. Father Noll's lecture on "Martin Luther" in November, arrangements have been made whereby members will have an opportunity of hearing one of his former assistants on the subject of "Martyrdom, Valid and Not Valid." This lecture will be given by Rev. George Moorman, pastor of the St. Louis church, Besancon, Ind., on Monday evening, Jan. 22.

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For Your Cold Try D. & N. Laxa Cold Tablets.

For Sore, Chapped Hands Everybody Uses.

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Place your order with us—note the many savings, even a cent or two, on an item amounts to quite a sum at the end of each week or month. Why not place your order for a week's or two supply? The difference in our prices will surprise you, and besides, it's much more convenient to buy in quantities. It will pay you to make us a visit. Prompt delivery to all parts of the city.

A FEW REGULAR PRICES

10 Pounds Best Standard Granulated Sugar 68c; Cloth Sack, 25 pounds Sugar, \$1.75.
Our Special Flour, Guaranteed, \$1.15 sack.
Washburn's Best Spring Wheat Flour, \$1.30 sack.
"Royalty" Oils, 28c Grade—Sale, 24c lb.—2-lb. Cake.
Navy Beans, 14c lb.; Lima, 10c lb.; Country Butter, 35c lb.
Our 20c Coffee, 17c; Rub-No-More Soap, 6-25c; 10c Rice, 7c lb.

THE WEATHER.

LOCAL OFFICE UNITED STATES WEATHER BUREAU.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Jan. 12, 1917.
Local data for the 24 hours ending at noon today.

Temperature at the End of Each Hour:
2:00 P.M. 15 2:00 A.M. 6
3:00 P.M. 14 3:00 A.M. 5
4:00 P.M. 13 4:00 A.M. 4

MONTGOMERY CASH GROCERY CO.
174-176
While poultry and fresh meats are high order one of those famous Armour Sausages, Hams, Nuts and lean and just as sweet as a nut.

20c SUGAR-CURED 20c
Dressed Chickens, per lb. 20c
Potatoes—Table Stock, per lb. 60c
Granulated Sugar, 10 lbs. \$1.15
Flour—Small Sack, \$1.15
Large Sack, \$1.25
Corn Meal, 9-lb. Sack, \$1.25
Holland Herring, per kg. \$1.00
Broken Macaroni, 2 lbs. \$1.00
Red Currant Jelly, 2 lbs. \$1.00
Ginger Snaps, per lb. 10c
Giffin Seedless Raisins, per pkg. 15c
Peas, Early June, 10c; 3 cans, 25c
American Family Soap, 6 cakes, 25c
Knitwrist Gloves, 2 pair, 15c
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174 **POULTRY FOOD.** 194
Pratt's Egg Producing Powder, per lb. 10c

H. Grosh & Sons
Grocery and Market
Cor. Hanna and Pontiac Sts.
6101—Home Phones—7631
10 lbs. Pure Grain Sugar, 75c
Keg Herring (Special), \$1.00
Quart Mason Jar Olives, 25c
Palm Beach and Rub-No-More Soap, 6 for, 25c
Jelly-June and Gelfin, 3 pkgs., 25c
Ripe Olives, 15c can; 2 for, 25c
Skinner's Macaroni and Spaghetti, 3 pkgs., 25c
7 cans Sunbrite Cleanser for, 25c
Sunkist
ORANGES
40c Value for, 30c
Corn 2 for, 25c
Peas 25c or \$1.35
Quality Tomatoes Dozen Quality
Beans Buy a Dozen
Corn Flakes, 2 pkgs., 15c
Monarch Catsup, 2 bottles, 25c
Monarch Catsup, 25c size, 15c
Quaker Rolled Oats, large, 25c
Gold Medal Baked Beans, large, 25c
Remember This is a Quality Store. These Prices Will Not Last—Get Busy.
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2482 120 W. JEFFERSON ST.

TRADE HERE
and effect a nice little saving. Our merchandise is always new, fresh quality goods at the lowest prices.
TELEPHONE YOUR ORDER EARLY.
A QUALITY, 28c VALUE BUTTERINE, 23c PURE GRANULATED SUGAR, 10 lbs. 69c

3 Buckwheat Pancake Johnny Cake	Flour 25c	Macaroni or Spaghetti Macaroni or Spaghetti 3 for 25c
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OUR 10c QUALITY RICE, 7c; 2 lbs. FOR 13c.
Bulk Rolled Oats, 15c
Club House Tinned Oats, pkg. 9c
Club House Corn Flakes, 3c
for
Fresh Crisp Crackers, lb. 20c
Quality Peanut Butter, lb. 15c
Fancy Bean Bacon, lb. 24c
Pure Country Lard, lb. 20c
Pure Codfish, lb. 18c
Pigs Feet, lb. 10c
10-lb. Pall Syrup, 45c
Large Prunes and Peaches, 2 for 25c

Geller's Fine Baked Goods on Sale.

1/2 Bbl. Little Crow Flour	White Sand Potatoes, peck
\$1.25	55c

CAPTURE OF JEKYLL AND HYDE "MOB" WINS BACK STAR FOR SUSPENDED POLICEMAN.



Seattle, Wash., Jan. 12.—State business and working men one day and desperate bandits the next!

Such is the confessed Jekyll-Hyde character of the quiet hold here for many daring bank robberies throughout the northwest.

A. J. Rounds, 61, is a blacksmith; F. J. Dusky, 36, a shingleweaver; Albert Wolff, 45, a real estate man; Oscar Lowe, 27, a logger, and Walter McDonald, 33, longshoreman.

Quiet, industrious, respected citizens for months at a time, and then demonic outlaws when the lust for booty took possession of the gang, according to their admissions!

They were arrested shortly after a recent bank holdup in the suburbs of Seattle, through the efforts of Ed Hagan, a suspended patrolman, anxious to win back his star by a sensational coup.

Hagan got his tip from an ex-convict and stool pigeon who suggested to the discredited officer that they levy blackmail on the bandits under threat of exposure.

In less than twelve hours the gang had been rounded up.

Lowe was found with the young

wife who is soon to become a mother. McDonald was with his bride of a few days. Rounds in the smithy he had just purchased the others at their work. All of them were at that moment the prosaic Jekylls, sober and industrious.

Cabarets, saloons and underworld razzle-dazzle did not interest these singular outlaws. They spent their loot carefully, commendably, on their families mostly. They were as gentle as they became ruthless when armed and masked in their Hyde mood.

Rounds, said to be the leader, and several of the others are believed to have operated for years in the Pacific northwest and to have looted at least half a dozen banks.

Hagan won back his star and is today the hero of Seattle police.

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BOTH THE BRIDE AND GROOM TO WEAR BLACK

Ora Cne Tells of Plans for His Wedding to Occur on January 20.

When Mr. Ora Cne, who is very well known in Fort Wayne, weds his youthful bride, Miss Eleanor Klings, of Seranton, Pa., on Saturday, Jan. 20, in the French Catholic church of St. Vincent de Paul, West Twenty-third street, New York city, they will both defy all conventions of dress and wear entirely black clothing. "The people expect something different from me. Why should I disappoint them?" said Mr. Cne to a New York Herald reporter. "Not only am I giving to the people something original," Mr. Cne explained, "but it should be a boon to the man with modest income who hesitates to marry because of the wedding expense."

The black shirt can be used later to clean the stove, it was explained. The black collar can be worn indefinitely without laundering and the black tie will be serviceable at any number of funerals. Concerning the bride's black garments Mr. Cne said that a white bridal gown was good for only one occasion. A black one is good for shopping, funerals, church and almost all other occasions. Also, black gloves last longer than white ones.

Mr. Cne has given the use of powder by women much thought. Here are his instructions concerning the proper way to use powder:

"First look in the glass and discover the defects. 'Woman know thyself' was good dope.

"Don't powder your nose if it's too big for your face. In that case powder the cheeks well.

"If the face is slender put powder near the ears; it makes for plumpness.

"If the face is fat put the powder as far away from the ears as possible.

"Don't try to imitate a marshmallow."

Mr. Cne and his bride are expected in Fort Wayne during their wedding trip to visit his mother, Mrs. Rose Seane and family.

JEFFERSON
—TODAY—
Don't Overlook FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN & BEVERLY BAYNE in "THE GREAT SECRET!"
First Chapter of This Mighty Serial is Great in Name and in Fact. Start Today! Companion Feature "DOLLAR AND THE LAW" WITH LILLIAN WALKER.
Added—The Harmonic Singers. Tomorrow—MARY PICKFORD in "EMERALD"

ADDITIONAL MARKETS.

Range of Prices for the Day.				
Chicago, Jan. 12, 1917.				
Wheat:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	1.88	1.90	1.87 1/2	1.84 1/2
July	1.52	1.53	1.48 1/2	1.50
Corn:				
May	.93 1/2	.94 1/2	.94 1/2	.97 1/2
July	.98 1/2	.98 1/2	.96 1/2	.96 1/2
Oats:				
May	.58	.58 1/2	.58 1/2	.56 1/2
July	.55	.55 1/2	.53 1/2	.54
Rye:				
Jan.	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47
May	28.45	28.62	28.40	28.62
Lard:				
Jan.	15.50	15.57	15.45	15.57
May	15.97	16.02	15.90	16.02
Ribs:				
Jan.	14.50	14.67	14.50	14.67
May	15.00	15.10	14.97	15.10

Chicago Cash Grain.
Chicago, Jan. 12.—Wheat: No. 1 red, \$1.84; No. 2 red, \$1.83; No. 3 red, \$1.82; No. 4 red, \$1.81; No. 5 red, \$1.80; No. 6 red, \$1.79; No. 7 red, \$1.78; No. 8 red, \$1.77; No. 9 red, \$1.76; No. 10 red, \$1.75; No. 11 red, \$1.74; No. 12 red, \$1.73; No. 13 red, \$1.72; No. 14 red, \$1.71; No. 15 red, \$1.70; No. 16 red, \$1.69; No. 17 red, \$1.68; No. 18 red, \$1.67; No. 19 red, \$1.66; No. 20 red, \$1.65; No. 21 red, \$1.64; No. 22 red, \$1.63; No. 23 red, \$1.62; No. 24 red, \$1.61; No. 25 red, \$1.60; No. 26 red, \$1.59; No. 27 red, \$1.58; No. 28 red, \$1.57; No. 29 red, \$1.56; No. 30 red, \$1.55; No. 31 red, \$1.54; No. 32 red, \$1.53; No. 33 red, \$1.52; No. 34 red, \$1.51; No. 35 red, \$1.50; No. 36 red, \$1.49; No. 37 red, \$1.48; No. 38 red, \$1.47; No. 39 red, \$1.46; No. 40 red, \$1.45; No. 41 red, \$1.44; No. 42 red, \$1.43; No. 43 red, \$1.42; No. 44 red, \$1.41; No. 45 red, \$1.40; No. 46 red, \$1.39; No. 47 red, \$1.38; No. 48 red, \$1.37; No. 49 red, \$1.36; No. 50 red, \$1.35; 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To live is not to live for one's self alone; let us help one another—Menander

DRY STATE BILL GOES IN

IS PUT AMONG ITS FRIENDS

Drastic Prohibition Measure Sent to Public Rights and Franchises. WOULD TAKE EFFECT IN SEPTEMBER NEXT

Road Commission Bill is Also Introduced in Legislature.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 12.—In order that it may be "among its friends" the official state wide prohibition measure, introduced in the senate this morning by Senator Thomas Dorrell, of Greenwood, was referred to the committee on public rights and franchises. This committee consists of Robinson, chairman; Mercer, Metzger, Nejd, Hemphill, Dorrell and Bracken.

It is understood that a majority of this committee is dry and its chairman, Robinson, is outspoken in favor of the bill. Dorrell's request that his measure be assigned to this committee is said to have been the result of his failure to land a place as one of the three democrats nominated for places on the public morals committee to which ordinarily all such measures are assigned.

After receiving the administration's road commission bill in both houses and a number of minor matters being introduced both the house and senate adjourned at noon until 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. Eleven bills were introduced in the senate and 26 in the house.

Dry Bill is Stringent.
The Dorrell measure is a stringent proposal to prohibit the manufacture, sale, gift, advertisement or transportation of intoxicants. It would become effective Sept. 1, 1917, if enacted, and allows ten days thereafter for pharmacists, chemists and hospitals to report intoxicants on hand to the clerk of the circuit courts.

Pharmacists are prohibited from handling intoxicants except on written application from manufacturers or chemists or upon written prescription from physicians. And in order to be allowed this privilege they must give bond to the clerk of the courts, and twice annually file such applications and prescriptions as matters of public record. In event of the failure of local prosecutors to enforce the law it is made the duty of the attorney general to enforce it. The county wherein there is prosecution being held liable for fees covering the cost. Penalties for violation of the law range from a fine of \$50 and an optional imprisonment to a fine of \$500 and mandatory imprisonment for six months or longer.

Road Commission Measure.
Senator Dobyn's roads measure, which has the endorsement of the Goodrich administration and which is approved generally by leading senators on both sides, provides for the appointment of a non-partisan commission of four members, non-salaried, who have authority to appoint

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LEWIS NOT TO BE NAMED AS SLAYER

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 12.—Coroner Knight, who has been looking into the murder of Maizie Colbert, the advertising art model, found beaten and strangled in her apartment here December 30, said today unless more direct evidence was found connecting him with the case he would not instruct a jury at the inquest to render a verdict that Bernard W. Lewis, of Pittsburgh was the slayer. Lewis committed suicide in Atlantic City last week as he was about to be arrested on a technical charge in connection with the case.

Women Wear Grotesque Just to Be Different, Says Woman

Lafayette, Ind., Jan. 12.—"Ninety percent of the money spent for textiles is spent by women and a great deal of it is spent unwisely," Prof. Mary L. Mathews, of Purdue university, said today, speaking before the home economic section of the Purdue short course. She continued: "Women wear the most grotesque costumes simply to be different." The speaker cautioned the women in the audience against dressing to look like a "Christmas tree." Standardized street apparel was recommended. Medals to the winners among the 400

WILL BE U. S. CITIZEN.
John McCormack, Noted Singer, Applies for Naturalization.

Philadelphia, Jan. 12.—John McCormack, the singer, applied to the federal court here yesterday for American citizenship. In his petition he gave his age as 32 and his occupation as a vocalist. He was born in Athlone, Ireland, and came to this country in 1904.

SILENT AS TO PEACE COURSE

Lansing Refuses to Discuss Entente Reply or Plans of Washington.

FUTURE VIEWED WITH SOBERNESS

Despite Apparent Deadlock Diplomats Believe Situation Clarified.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Secretary Lansing refused to discuss the entente reply or the plans of this government on the ground that he had not yet read the note with great care. It was stated officially, however, that whether the entente reply will be forwarded to the central powers and the latter's reply forwarded to the entente had not yet been decided and probably will not be for several days, pending a most careful examination of the whole situation.

Briefly officials feel that the allies have stated terms while refusing a conference whereas the Germans suggested a conference without stating their terms. Nevertheless it is felt that the international situation has been decidedly clarified.

The officials obviously view the future with increasing soberness. President Wilson's original statement in his note that neutrality was becoming intolerable and Secretary Lansing's statement that the United States was being drawn to the verge of war were recalled in view of the probability that hostilities are likely to continue.

Ambassador Bernstorff's reiterated assurance that Germany will not violate her submarine pledges to this country is held not incompatible with activities that could not be tolerated by this country, but might be conducted on the basis that there is such a divergence of view as to the international law involved.

WILSON STUDIES REPLY.
Entente Rejoinder to Peace Note Given Careful Scrutiny.

Washington, Jan. 12.—President Wilson today began a careful and deliberate examination of the entente's reply to his peace note to determine what opportunity it presents for a further move on his part and in what way one may be accomplished. The entente note will be discussed at the regular meeting of the cabinet and privately between the president and Secretary Lansing.

All quarters agreed that while the entente had made a complete reply to the president's request for a statement of terms, the note seemed to offer no hope for an early end of the war but fortunately still did not close the door upon further effort on the president's part.

Several Courses Open.
Several courses of action lie before the president. Among them is another move to ask Germany to state specific terms as the allies have done. Diplomats say that with replies from both sides of belligerents in hand it will be perfectly legitimate to communicate the answer of one set to the other.

The German diplomats here were outspoken in their denunciation of the allied note and their declarations that such terms never would be accepted.

More Severe Than Expected.
Admittedly the note was more severe than even they had been lead to expect and they declared the German allies were prepared to fight on.

HARRY K. THAW'S LATEST PHOTO.



This picture shows graphically the appearance of Harry K. Thaw, Standard Oil's slayer, at the time of the sensational charges that caused him to cut his throat. Thaw would be 46 years old, Feb. 12.

SUFFRAGISTS CANCEL PLANS FOR A PARADE

"Silent Sentinels" Combat Cold With Bricks and Hot Water Bottles.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The congressional union for woman's suffrage announced today that plans for a parade March 4, the day preceding the inauguration have been abandoned.

Letters were sent today calling for volunteers so that the number of pickets may be increased gradually during the next seven weeks.

Before taking their stand at the white house gates again today, with their suffrage banners, the women provided themselves with hot bricks and hot water bottles to combat the bitter cold.

The women on vigil yesterday spurned an invitation from the white house to enter and warm themselves. When President Wilson returned from golf today the silent sentinels stood at salute with right hands raised to their hats. The president smilingly returned the salute, noticing the sentinels for the first time. As the day wore on the sentinels got so cold that they marched up and down in squads with military precision.

AT WORK BEHIND GUARDED DOORS

Rail Brotherhoods Continue Plans for Action on Adamson Law.

Chicago, Jan. 12.—With the entrances to the meeting room guarded the conference of the representatives of the four railroad brotherhoods was resumed here today. The conferees representing every railroad in the country, continued the discussion of action of the brotherhoods, contingent upon the opinion of the United States supreme court in the Adamson law case.

J. C. Cobb, general chairman of the men employed on the Canadian Pacific railway, appeared at the meeting while it was stated he is representing the four brotherhoods of Canada in addition to the men on his own road, an official announcement concerning his presence was made. W. G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, spokesman for the conferees, said that any strike talk by "outsiders" was injurious to the workmen. It had been determined previously that no definite action would be taken by the organizations while the interpretation of the Adamson act is in the hands of the supreme court.

600 PERISH IN WARSHIP

Berlin, Jan. 12.—The loss of 600 lives by the destruction of an Italian battleship is reported by the Anzeiger of Basel, Switzerland, according to the Overland Seas News agency. "The Anzeiger of Basel reports the destruction of the battleship Reina Margherita," says the News agency. "It is confirmed that she was sunk off Avlona, Albania, by a mine or a torpedo. Six hundred out of 830 sailors perished."

SHE ADMITS THEFTS TO SAVE DAUGHTER

Toledo Woman Confesses to Shoplifting as Stolen Finery is Found.

Toledo, O., Jan. 12.—City detectives helped a baggageman pack probably \$100 worth of silks and miscellaneous merchandise said to have been stolen from downtown stores into a trunk and returned them to a "confessed kleptomaniac."

Richly dressed and represented by two attorneys, Mrs. Lou Showalter, 42, and her daughter, Mrs. L. Schaufman, faced shoplifting charges in police court.

Mrs. Showalter freed her daughter by taking the blame upon herself. She admitted thefts from Summit street stores. Attorneys for the women asked for suspended sentences.

The attorneys said the woman is a kleptomaniac and pointed out that she did not attempt to dispose of any of the stolen property. Many of the articles she took, they asserted, were practically valueless.

Through the attorneys, Mrs. Showalter entered pleas of guilty to petit larceny charges. Officials of "Redtke Brothers" store charged her with the theft of two petticoats. Milners' store charged her with the theft of a shirtwaist; these were the only charges filed, although detectives said they recovered between \$600 and \$800 worth of stolen property. They said no other charges could be filed because the stores could not say at what time the articles had been stolen.

DID HE TAKE POISON, TOO?

Tablets of Deadly Drug Are Found in Harry Thaw's Possession.

WOULD BE SUICIDE ON WAY TO RECOVERY

Detectives at Bedside to Await Recovery Now Indicated.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 12.—Harry K. Thaw, who slashed his throat with a razor and cut an artery in his wrist in an attempt to commit suicide here yesterday, will be able to leave the hospital within two weeks, unless he also swallowed poison tablets, according to statements of his physicians early today.

Several poison tablets, which produce a slow death, were found in his pockets, and if he took any of them it may be twenty-four hours before the symptoms manifest themselves, the doctors say.

He spent a very good night and was resting quietly this morning. Thaw said he was hungry during the night and was given food several times, but efforts of the detectives to get him to talk proved futile beyond the statement that he was glad he had not succeeded in ending his life. Inquiries as to whether he had taken poison met with no response.

Detectives at Bedside:
Detectives are on guard at Thaw's bedside and a warrant for his arrest is ready to be served the moment he is considered out of danger. The detectives had instructions to see that no one talked to the patient aside from his attendants and that he did not attempt to remove the bandages from his wounds.

Assistant District Attorney Black, of New York, was expected here today to make arrangements to have him removed to New York as soon as possible.

Climax to Search.
Thaw's attempt at self-destruction was the climax to a search for him which began here Tuesday. He is wanted by New York authorities on charge of kidnapping and assaulting Frederick Gump, Jr., the nineteen year old Kansas City high school youth.

According to a private detective employed by the Thaw family, the slayer of Stanford White told him the Gump charges were an attempt at blackmail and that he was planning to surrender to the New York police rather than be treated like an ordinary prisoner. He had been at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth A. Toot in West Philadelphia where he was found weak from the loss of blood from his wounds and a blood-stained razor by his side since early Tuesday morning. It had been generally believed that he had left the city and the first intimation the police had of his presence at the West Philadelphia house was when they were notified that he had attempted

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Today's War News Given in Summary

The important Rumanian port of Galatz on the Danube north of Braila is under renewed serious threat from the Tonic advance, which is again in evidence near the river.

The report from Field Marshal von Mackensen's front in southern Moldavia today shows apparent inactivity in the center in the vicinity of Fokshani, but progress on both flanks. Towards the Danube the Russians have been pressed back further between Braila and Galatz, where the town of Laburca has been taken. On the west further progress has been made by the Austro-German forces along the Moldavian frontier.

There appears from today's German headquarters statement to have been a renewal of heavy fighting on the Somme front north of Amiens. Two attacks by the British are reported, neither of which resulted in a net gain for them, although near Beaumont initial successes were won. The British troops which entered the German positions there were driven back by a strong counter-attack, Berlin asserts.

On the northern end of the Russian front the battle is increasing in intensity and scope. The Russians have been attacking both along the Dvina in the Riga region and south of Dvinsk. Berlin reports assaults on the railroad between Vilna Dvinsk, but declares they were repulsed with heavy losses to the Russians. The only specific mention by Berlin of the fighting southwest of Riga is an announcement of minor German attacks launched, the report says, "to amoliorate our position" and during which a few prisoners were taken.

PHILLIPS IS ADVANCED.
Becomes Assistant Secretary of State, Succeeding Osborne.

Washington, Jan. 12.—William Phillips, third assistant secretary of state, was nominated today as assistant secretary of state to succeed John E. Osborne, who recently resigned. Breckinridge Long, a St. Louis lawyer, was nominated as third assistant secretary of state.

8,292 IN THE CITY SCHOOLS

Total Enrollment is Now Largest in History of Fort Wayne.

GAIN 507 AT END OF FOUR MONTHS

Increase Over Last Year's Showing is Regarded as Remarkable.

Statistics compiled by the secretary in the office of Prof. Justin N. Study, city superintendent of Fort Wayne schools, show that at the end of the fourth month of the present school year there is a total enrollment of 8,292 in excess of last year's showing at the corresponding time.

The fourth month of school work closed Friday, January 5, and all but one school has reported the number of scholars on roll. The increase in number of scholars is sufficient to fill another twelve-room school building, states Prof. Study. At the present time there are 8,292 children in the public schools of Fort Wayne.

The large increase over the enrollment of last year is remarkable, state school officials, and is one of the many proofs that the population of the Summit City has grown to such a size that it will soon require six numbers to write it.

Harmar School Leads.
During the fourth month of school there were 155 accessions to the schools in the city. The Harmar school led all other schools in the number of new scholars. There were twenty-one new ones admitted. The colony of children in this school building has increased to such an extent that at the beginning of the new semester in February a new room will have to be fitted up and a new teacher secured.

At the beginning of the sixth month of school, which will also mark the beginning of a new semester in the school year, over two hundred new scholars are expected to seek admittance in the city schools. Prof. Study states, however, that the number of new scholars will depend largely on the weather. It has been his experience that many parents keep their children at home another half year on account of the cold.

Preparations are being made at the Fort Wayne High and Manual Training school to accommodate over a

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AIRPLANES, BUT NOT ZEPPELINS AT PARIS

Paris, Jan. 12.—The Zeppelin alarm which was sounded here last night was as it turned out, due not to Zeppelins, but to airplanes. As soon as the warning was received the city was plunged into darkness and the street cars stopped running. There was little excitement and few Parisians had curiosity to leave their firesides to see what was happening.

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FIREMEN FEAR MORE BLASTS

Cautiously Approach Ruined Ammunition Plant at Kingsland, N. J.

NO REPORT AS YET ON LOSS OF LIFE

Exploding Shells Bombard Wide Area of Country During Blaze.

New York, Jan. 12.—The eighty-acre ammunition plant of the Canadian Car and Foundry company near Kingsland, N. J., is a scarred and blackened ruin today, swept by flames and ploughed by bursting shells. The fire that started there late yesterday afternoon still smoldered in spots, but the firemen, who stood helpless at a safe distance last night watching the explosion of half a million of three and six-inch shells, closed in on the ruins cautiously.

There have been no official reports of loss of life and if all of the 1,400 employees of the plant escaped their safety is due probably to the fact that a short time intervened between the discovery of the fire and the moment when the flames reached the stored ammunition.

Four Millions Loss.
The loss, estimated at more than \$4,000,000, is accounted for almost entirely by the destruction of shells which the company lends to this plant for the Russian government. The rectangular enclosure contains several

four-story buildings, but there were few of flimsy construction and it is said that the company intended to abandon them in a short time when it finished its present contract.

More than 1,000 persons who fled from their homes surrounding the plant to escape the rain of projectiles were sheltered and fed last night by the police and charity officials of neighboring towns. Some time may elapse before it is known whether any of the fugitives lost their lives in the Hackensack marshes through which many of them plunged in a blind rush for safety.

The flames did not reach the company's magazines in which were stored tritollol nitric acid, picric acid and black powder, used in charging the shells. These magazines are situated in a remote quarter of the enclosure and carefully protected.

Subjected to Bombardment.
Although the country immediately surrounding the plant was subjected all night to terrific bombardment the damage was not as great as had been feared, owing to the fact that the shells were not equipped with detonating fuses until they reached Russia. For this reason the projectiles came

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FARMERS TO MEET AT WOODBURN THURSDAY

A farmers' institute at Woodburn will be held January 15 and 16, in Harmony hall, A. J. Hutchins, county agent is on the program for a talk on "Farm Management," at 1:30 p. m. on the first day of the institute. E. C. Martindale is one of the instructors. His subjects are: "An Ear of Corn, and How to Grow It," "The Farmer's Cow and His Calf," "The Boy," "Higgways" and "The Drainage." Mrs. L. A. Oge will direct the women's department of the institute and give several addresses. Levi Klopfenstein is chairman of the contest committee of the corn show which is to be held in connection with the institute. J. R. Yaggy is chairman and L. S. Husted, general secretary of the institute.

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Representative Lenroot, republican,

POUND STEADILY AWAY AT THE GERMAN LINES

Through Rain, Mist, Fog and
Deep Mud Struggle
Goes Forward.

With the British Armies in France, Jan. 11.—Through rain, mist, fog and deep mud the British army is continuing day by day to pound the German line. Although there has been no distinctly spectacular action recently, daily and nightly trench raids and the drumming of the artillery has continued. These operations have yielded a constant inflow of prisoners and have kept the casualty lists growing. According to stories told by prisoners the British tactics have harassed the German troops almost beyond endurance. The last week has witnessed some typical so-called minor operations, culminating with an attack before dawn today north of Beaumont-Hamel. This action brought the total of prisoners taken in this area in the last three days to 300 and placed in British hands some important sections of trenches. On Tuesday night the British attacked a desired section of the German lines which was taken with a yield of 140 prisoners. Red rockets from the German trenches flashed signals for aid to the defending Germans in the rear, but the counter barrage failed to check the advance. The German gunnery in this instance was described by the attacking officers as weak and erratic. The British soldiers encountered little resistance from the terrible shell fire in the darkness and communicating trenches. The prisoners taken in this raid had been on the front line for a long while and appeared very much dejected. As soon as the captured trenches had been cleared of the last hostile fighter squads of engineers were sent in to consolidate and repair the new positions and before night the regular booming of the big guns told that the battle had once more settled down into its customary routine.

100 EXPECTED AT U. ALUMNI BANQUET

As a part of a state-wide movement in celebration of the founding of the Indiana university, the alumni of the university in this city will banquet at the Wayne hotel Friday evening, where accommodations have been made for 100 people. A program of interest will be presented.

The main feature on the program is the address to be given by Dr. A. L. Foley, a world-famous scientist and head of the department of physics at the university.

Prof. L. C. Ward, president of the local organization, will preside as toastmaster. The banquet will begin at 8 o'clock.

JUAREZ GARRISON IS BACK FROM CHIHUAHUA

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 12.—A part of the Juarez garrison, consisting of between two and three hundred men, returned to Juarez today from Chihuahua City. On the same train were a large number of civilians, mostly Mexicans, who said that Chihuahua City was quiet when they left and no fears were entertained of an attack by Villa forces. They said no doubt was felt that Gen. Murguia's victory at Jimenez was as great as has been officially claimed, but nothing was known of Villa's present movements. The passengers were thirty hours in making the trip and suffered severely from the cold as many of them rode on top of box cars.

WILL HEAR IT BY PHONE.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Gatherings in all parts of the country may be able to listen to President Wilson's inaugural address on the morning of March 4th by long distance telephone. The local inaugurating committee today took up with telephone companies the feasibility of such an arrangement and it was pronounced quite possible.

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NATION'S FOOD SUPPLY FAILS TO KEEP PACE

Does Not Increase in Proportion to Population in America.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The nation's food supply has not kept pace with the growth in population, figures furnished today by the department of agriculture showed. The statistics cover the last sixteen years during which the population has grown about 43 per cent and disclosed that in foods constituting about 75 per cent of the country's diet there has been a decline in per capita production.

Officials believe that despite this showing there is no danger of food shortage. Secretary Houston in a statement today said: "With all the agencies now available for producing agriculture there is profound ground for optimism as to the ability of the nation not only to supply itself with food but increasingly to meet the needs of the world."

The output of meat and dairy products which furnish 67 per cent of the food that goes on the American table fell from 248.2 pounds for each person in 1899 to 219.6 in 1915. Cereals which supply 31 per cent, declined from 43.9 bushels to 40.2; fish fell from 12.5 to 11.6 in 1908 with no figures given for 1915. Potatoes remained at about the same ratio of production but sweet potatoes increased about fifty per cent per capita. Poultry products made a slight gain. Production and consumption of fruit and vegetables has increased rapidly with the last few years and they constitute a larger and more important part of the permanent diet.

GRAPE-GROWERS TAKE WALLOP AT SALOON

San Francisco, Jan. 12.—Liquor dealers and prohibitionists were discussing today the significance of a resolution adopted by the California Grape association opposing saloons, as at present conducted, and favoring their complete reform or entire abolition.

"This association," the resolutions set forth, "is not wedded to the American saloon. It believes the evils of the present system could be practically exterminated if the people would awaken from their provincialism and follow the example of continental Europe."

"We have contributed our last dollar to opposing anti-liquor fights of the old sort," said H. F. Stoll, secretary of the association.

DRIVEN FROM SCHOOL BY COST OF LIVING

Chicago, Jan. 12.—The high cost of living is causing children in increasing numbers to leave the Chicago schools to seek employment, William L. Bodine, of the compulsory education department, reported to John L. Shoop, superintendent of schools, today. The report added that many of the children are from homes where the income ordinarily makes it unnecessary for the children to work. Mr. Bodine said that in the period between May 1, 1915, and Dec. 31, 1916, work permits were issued to 7,320 children between the ages of 14 and 16, 4,617 being for boys and 2,703 for girls. The majority received \$5 a week or less for the work they engaged, the report said.

SORORITY HOUSE FIRE DRIVES OUT 20 GIRLS

Bloomington, Ind., Jan. 12.—About twenty girls who roomed at the sorority house of the Independent Literary society were driven out into the cold yesterday when the building caught fire from the furnace. Many of the girls saved their personal belongings by throwing their trunks out of the windows in the upper part of the building, and six or seven had to leave the building from a veranda, on the roof, and descended on the firemen's ladders. For two hours the fire department poured water into the building before the blaze was conquered. The loss on the household effects amounted to \$500 or more, with no insurance. Willis Aikin, owner of the building, said his loss, which was principally from water and smoke, was covered by insurance. The sorority had to obtain another house after the fire.

MRS. PERFECT DEAD.

Mother of Arthur H. and Harry Perfect Passes Away.

Mrs. Lucy Jane Perfect, mother of Arthur H. and Harry A. Perfect, of this city, passed away, Thursday, at her home in Huntington. She had been ill for some time.

Mrs. Perfect was born near Battle Creek, Mich., April 7, 1840, and was united in marriage to Mr. Perfect at Columbus, Ind., December 22, 1879. She is survived by three sons, T. Guy Perfect, of Huntington, and Arthur H. and Harry A. Perfect, of this city, and one sister, Miss Oro Perfect, of Huntington.

Interment Saturday afternoon at Huntington. Burial private. Friends will kindly omit flowers.

FLEDGE 2,000 POSITIONS.

Chicago Employers Open Jobs for Men Over 45 Years Old. Chicago, Jan. 12.—Pledges of positions for 2,000 men more than 45 years old "to be fulfilled at the earliest possible moment" have been made by members of the Employers' Association of Chicago, it was announced today. The organization, composed of representative business men, had been interested in a movement sponsored by a committee of other business men to remove the prejudice against employing men more than 45 years old.

JUDGE LANDIS GETS OUT OF LABOR CASES

Chicago Federal Jurist Indulges in Some Caustic Comment.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 12.—Judge Landis yesterday granted a change of venue to Judge Carpenter in the labor cases, which were to have been tried before him on January 22.

In giving an order directing the transfer of the cases, the court made it clear that he believed he had been the victim of a frame-up.

An affidavit was presented by Attorney E. R. Litzinger, in behalf of Michael Boyle, former business agent of the Electrical Workers' union. The statement set forth that Boyle had been told by George Anderson, an interior marble worker, that he (Anderson) had talked with Judge Landis in the latter's chambers and that the court had remarked that all of the electrical workers ought to be in jail.

Anderson was called to the bar by the court. He refrained from directly answering a number of questions regarding the alleged conversation with the judge. Finally the court turned to Litzinger.

Paralleling in Thaw Case. "The motion is granted," he said. "The mistake I made was in not taking a hickory club to Anderson or having a stenographer present when he came to see me. I want to know how he came to see me. I want cooperation from you in finding out who sent him. Plainly he was fed to me."

"The question isn't whether I said that all of these fellows ought to be in jail. Of course I didn't. The question is whether Boyle believes I said it. The same question came out in the Thaw case. The question was not whether Stanford White had ruined the girl, but whether she had told Thaw that he had."

"Anderson, don't you ever come near me again. The next time I talk to anyone I'll have a shorthand reporter in the room with me. I'll take no more chances on any of you people."

EXHIBITORS ARE MORE NUMEROUS THIS YEAR

Poultry Breeders Seem to Like Fort Wayne—Show Opens Next Week.

The big poultry show opens next week Wednesday for a five day run. The promoters state that the number of exhibitors represented this year is far in excess of that of any former year.

President W. D. Holterman and Secretary J. C. Howenstein assign this condition to the fact of the growing reputation of Fort Wayne as a poultry center. These exhibitors are coming from Kentucky, Illinois, Michigan, Ohio, and all portions of Indiana. The Fort Wayne men are enthusiasts who always treat the exhibitors as good fellows should, with the result that the local men have no trouble in securing "return engagements." This year's show promises to eclipse all other events of a similar character ever held here. It is being planned to provide many features of general interest—especially to the women and children.

FOUND IN AUSTRALIA.

Long-Missing Shipment of Envelopes for New York Located.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Treasury department officials who had sought vainly for more than three months to locate 20,000 franked envelopes sent to the collector of customs at New York from the contractor at Richmond, Va., were notified today that they had been found at Adelaide, Australia. Meantime the railroad company desisted of finding the shipment had paid the government the value of the envelopes. Notification that they had been located came from a New York banker.

COLUMBIA SATURDAY SPECIAL

Mixed nut glaze, special price 25c; regular price 40c.
COLUMBIA CANDY KITCHEN.

WOULD PROVIDE \$2 A WEEK.

Pensions for Aged American Citizens Proposed by Sherwood.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Every American citizen over 65 who is incapable of manual labor and whose annual income is less than \$200 would get a pension of \$2 a week under a bill before the house pension committee today. Representative Sherwood, of Ohio, is author of the bill.

BUY OF THE OLD RE- LIABLE

This store has been in the furniture business for forty-one years. The store that quality built.
THE PAPE FURNITURE COMPANY.

The timber and other lands owned by the United States are a source of profit which is growing yearly.

SMOKING OF CIGARETTE MAY SOON MEAN ARREST.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Jan. 12.—Smoking of a cigarette in Oklahoma will make the smoker liable to arrest, is in prospect, if a bill in the house is passed. The bill would make it unlawful to offer for sale or give away cigarettes.

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Our Great Removal Sale is without doubt, one of the most remarkable money-saving opportunities that we have ever offered. We prepared early for the largest volume of business in the history of the store. We have been selling the finest clothing from ten to twenty per cent. under other stores and during this sale you can buy it for ten to thirty per cent. under this price. You couldn't make a better investment than some of this fine clothing. This is one of a thousand bargains:

Silk Lined Overcoats

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\$27

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The Store That Does Things—After February 1st at the Corner of Wayne and Harrison

DID HE TAKE POISON, TOO?

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suicide. He had been introduced at the Tacot home as "Mr. West." Suggested by Lewis' Deed? Friends of Thaw here advance the theory that his attempt to end his life may have suggested itself to him through the suicide at Atlantic City of Bernard Lewis, as he was about to be arrested in connection with the murder of Mollie Colbert, the Philadelphia artist's model. During the investigation of this case Thaw was recognized by newspaper men in the corridor in front of the district attorney's office where a number of witnesses were being questioned. He appeared anxious to learn the details of the case and readily consented to an interview in which he expressed the opinion that the police had not proved conclusively that Lewis had killed the girl as they claim. "The suicide of a person wanted by the police is not necessarily a confession of guilt," Thaw is quoted as having said.

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IS PUT AMONG ITS FRIENDS

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an engineer and other necessary employees, all to be under the merit system of employment, to lay out and maintain main market highways and contiguous and connecting roads. Revenue for the purpose is provided by a proposed annual tax of five cents on the \$100 of property valuation, the state inheritance tax, the petroleum oil fees and state highway fund as now collected.

Other Bills Introduced. Senator Nejd presented a measure giving authority to cities having paid fire departments to establish and maintain a firemen's pension fund by assessing all fire insurance premiums collected by insurance companies not chartered in Indiana, in a sum not to exceed 2 per cent. per annum.

Senator English introduced a bill to establish a non-partisan forestry commission consisting of five members who are to be permitted to employ a state forester at a cost not to exceed \$2,400 per annum.

Senator McCray introduced a measure to enable the city of Indianapolis to establish a terminal market and storage. Other important measures follow: Humphreys—to prevent the destruction of surface land in mining. Laney—to abolish the office of township assessor, transferring his duties to the township trustee. Negley—fixing the venue in motor collision damage cases in county where the collision takes place.

In the House. The prohibition, constitutional convention and woman's suffrage bills were presented in the house this morning. Representative Wright of Randolph; Representative McGonigle, of Muncie, and Representative Aldridge, of Anderson, introduced the measures in the order named.

The constitutional bill was referred to the ways and means committee of which Mr. McGonigle is chairman, the suffrage bill to judiciary B, and the prohibition bill to the public morals committee.

The temperance folks back home are still bombarding the house with petitions for the passage of the prohibition bill. Petitions of this character were presented by Representative Eikenberry of Carroll, and Representative Simmons, of Henry county.

The highway commission bill, which is

said to be backed by the governor and the goods roads associations through the state, was introduced by Representative Duffy, of Indianapolis. The house appears to be divided into two camps upon this measure. One favors the centralizing of authority in the commission, the other is determined to keep as much power as possible in the hands of the counties throughout the state. The Duffy bill has been changed so as to compromise these conflicting views.

Inheritance Tax Change. An important change is proposed in the present inheritance tax law in a bill by Representative Myers, of Hamilton. The bill raises the present exemption two and a half times.

Representative Kreig, of Huntington, introduced a measure prohibiting minors from entering pool rooms and other gaming or amusement resorts. The administration measures, repealing the present oil inspection law, abolishing the legal counsel of the utilities commission, reducing the quartermaster's salary, strengthening the impeachment statute, also made their appearance in the house this morning.

Lines Drawn Closer. Although there is no great stir in the state house corridors it is increasingly apparent that the lines are being drawn closer with each succeeding day. Lieut. Gov. Bush yesterday took official cognizance of the interests when he gave notice that only accredited newspaper men and employees of the senate would have the privilege of the floor.

"I recognize that many outsiders might have a perfectly legitimate object in coming here," said Lieut. Gov. Bush. "But I want it understood that they seek any special advantages not they seek and special advantage not granted the general public."

Representative Westfall, of Vincennes, sent a bill which would require the licensing of poultry dealers and the keeping of a record by them showing the amount and kind of poultry purchased each day and from whom.

Representative Williams, of Boonville, presented a bill simplifying the present fee and salary law by authorizing the county commissioners in each county of the state to fix the salaries of county officers.

FIREMEN FEAR MORE BLASTS

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down like solid shots and did not explode.

Fire was first observed in a room where workmen were cleaning the cases of brass shells. It is believed the flames burst out from a tub of alcohol ignited by a piece of glowing insulation from an electric wire on the ceiling. The flames spread to a car loaded with trinitrotoluene.

After the first few minutes the employees realized that the fire could not be checked and fled for their lives.

Phone Operator Heroine. The heroine of the fire is a telephone switch board operator whose position was in sight of the spot where the flames first appeared. The girl stuck to her post until she had sent a warning over the wire to the various buildings scattered through the plant. As she plugged in for the last call projectiles were descending through the roof of the building where she sat.

The police today issued a warning that thousands of the loaded shells had fallen within a radius of four miles of the fire. It is feared that many of the spectators picked these up as souvenirs and carried them home. Such persons were urged to handle them carefully for fear of explosions. The New York police were directed to search for shells which might have been brought to this city.

Enter Desolate Village. The hundreds of families which fled from Kingsland began returning to their homes this morning.

CHANGES YEARS HAVE WROUGHT IN HARRY THAW'S FACE.



These pictures show Thaw at right, as he looked in 1906, when he shot Stanford White, and as he looked before he made the attempt at suicide on Thursday by slashing his throat and his wrist.

their homes this morning. They entered a desolate village. Many of the houses were so shell riddled that they were not tenable. The police authorities lifted the dead line they had thrown around the residence section in an effort to prevent looting, and assisted the returning townsmen in putting their households in order. Some of the dwellings appeared ruined beyond repair. Many of those who ran for safety spent the night huddled uncomfortably in churches and schools.

The shops of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad in the vicinity of the munition plant, were badly damaged. Shells rained into them, ruining machinery and equipment.

SILENT AS TO PEACE COURSE

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surprise if they were conducted entirely in secret, without publication of the exchanges.

FRENCH PRESS APPROVES IT.

Paris Newspapers Commend Allies' Reply to Wilson.

Paris, Jan. 12.—The morning papers are unanimous in their approval of the reply of the allies to President Wilson's note, the only difference being in the terms of expression. Alfred Capus, editor of the "Figaro" says: "The principal value of the note is the clear and solemn declaration of the allies as to their objects in pursuing the war. It is the first time they have been thus grouped and their full moral worth, given to them by their simple enumeration, forces upon the mind the conviction of their necessity. Either they will be fully attained or Germany will be a continual menace to Europe and, upon the first opportunity, will again turn it into a field of carnage. Our enemies are now in possession of our true aims. They can compare them with their own and deduce therefrom the degree of our resistance and our implacable resolve to vanquish them."

Stephen Pichon, writing in the "Petit Journal," says: "Germany refuses to reveal her aims except in conference, where she would work her usual treachery and divide in turn one against another the countries whose territory she violated and is now dismembering. The allies state clearly the objects they desire to obtain, which are those of all men and nations who desire to see emerge from the horrible crisis in which thousands are perishing, an era of peace, work and justice. In the United States they will distinguish between the two conceptions, the two methods and President Wilson, jurist, but also advocate of human ideals, will have no difficulty in making up his mind."

"We have spoken for the world," says the "Petit Parisien," "for the entire peoples, for their adversaries and also for neutrals. President Wilson, whose fine sense of justice is known, cannot fail to be struck by the truthfulness of the document, by our eagerness to meet his views and by the proofs we have accumulated of German violence. The special note addressed to him by Belgium, so dignified and so calm, will confirm the judgment which his conscience has already pronounced. It is now plainly shown that the entente has nothing to hide. Will our adversaries be equally frank?"

The "Matin" calls the note a new charter whereby the allies seek to under which all people, great and small, can prosper in peace. "There is in the reply," says this paper, "neither boasting nor a misunderstanding of the present military situation. The firm language used by the allies has been inspired in them by a certainty, founded on a knowledge of their power and the losses of their adversaries, that the objects they set themselves to gain will be attained."

ENGLISH PRESS COMMENT.

Manchester Guardian Calls It Boldly Conceived Statement.

London, Jan. 12.—The Manchester Guardian says the reply of the allies to President Wilson was received too late for extended comment, but that it believes the document is "a boldly conceived statement of the position of the allies which goes a long way toward satisfying President Wilson's request for specific information as to the objects for which they are persisting in the war. In this respect the Guardian says the note is conceived in a wholly different spirit from Germany's reply. It believes the reference to the right of all peoples, small as well as great, to security for free economic development, refers especially to 'the vital need of Russia for free use of the passage to the Mediterranean through the Dardanelles, as well as the corresponding need of Serbia and Montenegro of free access to the Baltic. This paper sees the breaking up of the Turkish empire in asking the removal of the Turkish government from Europe."

The article concludes: "The allies put their aims high. They are near

happily the maximum rather than minimum terms. But the allies are careful to state that the ruin or political destruction of the Germanic powers forms no part of their objects, which is as it should be. One thing we miss and that is a clear statement that the look forward to the American proposal of a league to enforce peace as an essential part of the guarantee for the future, which is to be included in the conditions of peace, but this may be implied and we trust it is intended."

The Liverpool Post expresses the hope that every means will be employed to circulate the reply of the allies throughout the breadth and length of the United States, and continues: "There ought to be no possibility of any American citizen not being possessed of complete and convincing presentation of the allies' case and their aims in the war, which they did not seek, but which they mean to carry through to the only conclusion which can ensure for the future universal recognition of those principles of liberty, justice and inviolable fidelity to international obligation which, as President Wilson is reminded, have never ceased to inspire the action of the United States."

8,292 IN THE CITY SCHOOLS

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hundred more scholars at the beginning of the new semester.

List of Books.

Professor Study announces that he will give out next week the list of books which will be needed in the school. Petitions have been made by mothers asking that lists of new school text books be announced long before the opening of school in order to give the children an opportunity to supply themselves with the necessary text books. The matter was first urged by the Fort Wayne Mothers' Club.

Survey Called Off.

The contemplated industrial survey of Fort Wayne has been called off. The reason is that the question of conducting industrial surveys in Indiana would be a large expense and therefore the state board decided that the idea should be dispensed with, at least at the present time.

Dr. Will Give Two Lectures.

Dr. William Kilpatrick, head of one of the departments in Columbia university, will give two lectures in Fort Wayne on the afternoons of February 2 and 3. The first lecture will be given Friday afternoon, February 2, in the high school auditorium to all public school teachers of the city. On Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock he will speak at the Anthony hotel under the joint auspices of the Graded Teachers' association and the educational department of the Women's Club league.

Cards to Be Given Out.

Promotion cards will be given out to the children on Friday morning, February 2, at 11 o'clock at their respective school buildings. The new semester will begin the following Monday morning.

CAN WEAR ARMY UNIFORM.

Members of Governor's Staffs Not Forbidden Under Law.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Secretary Baker has decided not to construe the national defense act so as to prohibit members of the staffs of governors from wearing the regular army uniform.

The decision was announced today in a letter to Gov. McCall, of Massachusetts, one of the many state executives who have asked for a ruling on the subject.

TOO MUCH MOTOR BUSINESS.

Must Use Horses and Mules, Orders General Funston.

San Antonio, Texas, Jan. 12.—Troops on duty in the southern department have abused motor transportation by calling on trucks for a variety of uses and largely ignoring horse-drawn transportation available for most work. Gen. Frederick Funston declared today. The general issued an order providing that all serviceable horses and mules must be exercised daily—and that means harnessing them and hitching them to wagons and using them for transportation work to be done in the many commands.

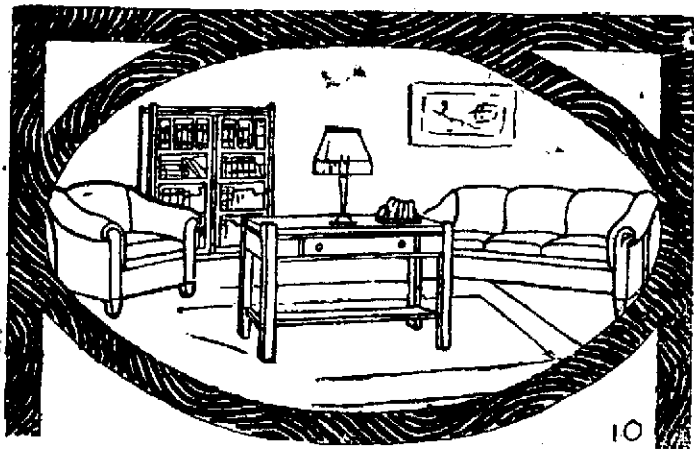
NOW THINK IT SUICIDE.

American Soldier's Death Believed Self-Inflicted.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Corporal John A. Stewart, Company C, Ninth infantry, whose body was found on the Mexican side of the river near Laredo two days ago, is believed by American army officers on the border to have committed suicide. His throat was cut. In his pockets was \$10, according to a report to the war department from the commanding officer at Laredo. Efforts to get possession of the body are being made.

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Tomorrow morning marks the beginning of our Mid-Winter Furniture Sale.

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Every article on our floors will be marked with a special sale tag. Also with this sale tag will be the original selling price tag by which you can compare for yourself that we haven't adjusted the original tags so as to form our SALE prices. Sales are confusing. So as not to mislead you we positively will not remove any tag. Goods are not being shipped in for sale purposes or are we removing any article from our floors. We are in business to stay.

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CONVOY NEWS.

Convey, Ohio, Jan. 12.—Mrs. Lena Carpenter Paxton died Tuesday morning at the age of 18 years at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Carpenter, on West Tully street. Surviving besides the husband are her parents and the following sisters: Mrs. Ada Hart, Miss Mary Carpenter, Ida Carpenter, Margaret Carpenter and Loretta Carpenter.

The Methodist Sunday school has chosen the following officers for the year 1917: Superintendent, D. W. Long; assistant, Robert Clelland; secretary, Katie Laver; assistant, Leah Moore; treasurer, John Stewart; pianist, Mrs. Bert Stapleton; assistant, Cleo Blaney; chorister, Mary Mollenkopf. Miss Mabel Brittenburg has returned to West Virginia, where she is teaching music, after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brittenburg.

Floyd Mollenkopf returned to Fort Wayne, after spending two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mollenkopf, on South Main street. Fred Reed suffered a stroke of

paralysis at his home on Monday evening.

Funeral services for Jacob Buchner, of Harrison township, were held Wednesday morning from the German Lutheran church, south of town. Rev. Zoch officiated. Interment was made in the cemetery at the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bauer were Fort Wayne visitors Tuesday.

Gottlieb Dowler was in Van Wert Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Ray Stuckey was hostess to the "Laf-a-lot" club Thursday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. J. Barrietta, who have been visiting Mrs. Melchior on North Main street for several weeks, left for Decatur en route to their home in Six Lakes, Mich.

A preparation of solidified glue, which can be used instead of rubber for many purposes has been invented by a German scientist.

A most heavily loaded train recently was established by a Russian railroad on which an American locomotive hauled a train 2,800 feet long, with a load of 4,424 tons.

THE DRINKING OF WATER

(By M. C. LUCAS, M. D.)

The general conclusions of the latest medical scientists prove that drinking of plenty of pure water both between meals and with one's meals is beneficial to health. It has also been proven by means of the X-rays and actual tests upon many healthy young men that the drinking of water with meals is not harmful to digestion. Therefore if you want to keep healthy drink plenty of pure water (not ice water). If you ever suffer from backache, lumbago, rheumatism or any of the symptoms of kidney trouble—such as deep colored urine, sediment in urine, getting out of bed at night frequently and other troublesome effects, take a little Anurie before meals. These Anurie tablets can be obtained at almost any drug store in this country.

American men and women must guard constantly against kidney trouble, because we eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with uric acid which the kidneys strive

to filter out, they weaken from over-medical science, prove that drinking of plenty of pure water both between meals and with one's meals is beneficial to health. It has also been proven by means of the X-rays and actual tests upon many healthy young men that the drinking of water with meals is not harmful to digestion. Therefore if you want to keep healthy drink plenty of pure water (not ice water). If you ever suffer from backache, lumbago, rheumatism or any of the symptoms of kidney trouble—such as deep colored urine, sediment in urine, getting out of bed at night frequently and other troublesome effects, take a little Anurie before meals. These Anurie tablets can be obtained at almost any drug store in this country.

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead, when your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night, when you suffer with sick headache or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, ask your druggist for Anurie. Because of uric acid in over-abundance in the system, backache, pains here and there, rheumatism, gout, gravel, neuralgia and sciatica result. Anurie is more potent than lithia, and consequently you need no longer fear muscular or articular rheumatism or gout, or many other diseases which are dependent on an accumulation of uric acid within the body.—Advertisement.

INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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LESSON FOR JANUARY 14

JOHN THE BAPTIST AND JESUS.

LESSON TEXT—John 1:19-34.
GOLDEN TEXT—Behold, the lamb of God that taketh away the sin of the world.—John 1:29.

John began his public ministry in the summer of A. D. 26 and the baptism of Jesus probably took place in January, A. D. 27. The delegation from Jerusalem to interview John must have appeared along toward the latter part of February.

I. John the Witness (vv. 15-18). John's ministry created great excitement. The people were in expectancy. All classes were reasoning as to who this strange but marvelously powerful man might be. Some thought perhaps he was the Christ (Luke 3:15). To settle this question a committee was sent to Jerusalem to investigate. Malachi, the prophet, has suggested the coming of Elijah (Mal. 4:5) before the Messiah should come, and another prophecy indicated that the prophet should be like unto Moses (Deut. 18:18-19). John freely confesses to this delegation that he is not the Christ nor Elijah nor the prophet predicted by Moses. How foolish and silly are those modern ones who profess to be the messenger of the covenant or some other fanciful title, indicating the return of the witness which is to precede the coming of Christ. John exercises humility in the way he states his real position though he does apply to himself the prophecy of Isaiah (Isa. 40:3-5) which sets forth what his mission was to be. A voice can be heard but not seen. With our bodily eyes we never see a spirit. No man ever saw the soul of his nearest friend. We do see God, however, in his works, in his marvelous deliverances and his guidance of the world and his answers to prayer.

II. John the Baptizer (vv. 19-29). As John had denied that he was the Christ or Elijah, the priests and Levites made bold to question his authority at a later time (Matt. 21:23), and still later the authority of the apostles and the priests (Acts 5:28). John answers them with another display of his humility. His baptism in water was nothing to the baptism of the coming one (See Matt. 3:11; Acts 1:5). Though Christ was in their midst, they were blind and did not recognize him (See vv. 10, 11; ch. 8:19; 16:3). John's baptism of repentance denotes a baptism which a penitent submitted to that he might receive the pledge and assurance that his sins were forgiven. Baptism meant the cleansing of the people from past sins that they might be fitted for entrance into the kingdom. Baptism is not conversion. It is a witnessing and a symbol of a spiritual truth that we are dead unto sin, and have risen to newness of life (Rom. 6:3-5). Like John, our voice must be not only that of humility but it must be really a voice with a message from God, one that sounds an unmistakable note, one that can be heard wherever we go, one that will make men happier, stronger, braver, more like God, to prepare the way for Christ in the hearts of men.

III. The Witness of the Spirit (vv. 26-34). The writer is very explicit, stating the exact time that these things occurred, for he was an eye witness. John first testifies that Jesus was the Lamb of God, referring of course to the sacrificial lamb, the atoning sacrifice of the Old Testament (Gen. 22:7-8; Ex. 12:3; Isa. 53:7). As the Lamb of God, Jesus would take away the sins of the world; thus the thought is primarily that of atonement, a substitution of another and the deliverance from the guilt of sin. The next day after John's witness to the delegation from Jerusalem, he saw Jesus coming into him, and said to the assembled people, "Behold the Lamb of God." This refers not so much to his character, that of innocence, meekness and patience, as to his office, his completed work of atonement by the sacrificial death wherein he takes away the sins of the world. On the ground of the propitiation for sin which Jesus wrought (1 John 2:2; Matt. 20:28; 1 Cor. 5:21; Gal. 3:13) sin is removed from the sinner as far as the East is from the West. God dealt in mercy with men before Christ's time because of the lamb which was slain from the foundation of the world (Rev. 13:8). Here John says that at first he did not recognize Jesus as the Messiah, but he does bear record that he saw the spirit descending at his baptism, and it abode upon him.

The work of Christ is for the whole world till all its sin is removed. He is actually removing sin from the world, and when he comes again, sin will be banished. Luke's record adds that this same Messiah is to baptize with the Holy Ghost and fire.

Christians are to be on fire for God. The gift of the holy spirit at Pentecost was the first and most manifest expression of this power of Christ who is the real baptizer. Begotten of God (Luke 1:35), possessed of all the attributes of the Father (Phil. 2:6), the one in whom the fullness of the Godhead dwelt bodily (Col. 2:9) he is to be honored and worshiped as God (Heb. 1:8).

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Wm. H. E. Moeller to Florence Littlejohn, lot 53, Harrison Hill add, for \$875.

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J. J. Aldering to Schele & Weber, w 1/2 lot 5 and all lot 6 blk 30, Ewing's add, for \$15,000.

L. M. Bauer et ux to James E. and Sarah E. Weisman, s 1/2 s 1/2 ex w 5 ft lot 22, Beck's 2nd, for \$2,050.

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J. N. Mason et ux to Joseph A. Johnson, w 31 ft lots 14 and 15, Baltes, Fleming & Esmond's add, for \$4,800.

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Peter Baltes et ux to Paul Koehler, lot 85, Anthony Blvd. Place, for \$700.

KENDALLVILLE NEWS.

Kendallville, Ind., Jan. 12.—Miss Denelda Nartker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Nartker, and Mr. Fred Pratt, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Pratt, of Bellefontaine, Ohio, were united in marriage Wednesday morning at St. Mary's Catholic church, in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives. Rev. Father Hepler officiating. The attendants were Miss Loretta Nartker, sister of the bride, and Joseph Heckman, of Glendora, O.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lane, celebrated their fifty-sixth wedding anniversary Wednesday at their home on West Rush street. One of the pleasant features of the day was the elaborate dinner served at noon. Among the out of town relatives were their daughters, Mrs. E. E. Coombs, of Van Wert, Ohio, and Mrs. Sylvanus Weaver, of Brimfield, and granddaughter, Mrs. Ray

Chapman, of Brimfield. A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Ermine Likes, of Wayne township.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jennings, Mott street, are the parents of a daughter.

A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wulburn, of Jefferson township. C. J. Munton was at Indianapolis several days attending the motor club meeting.

A. J. Hart is at Indianapolis on a business trip.

Mrs. E. M. Lybarger has returned from Decatur, where she visited friends.

Frank Crone, who submitted to an operation at a Fort Wayne hospital, several weeks ago, was able to return home Wednesday. He was taken to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Crone, south of the city.

Mrs. Mary Kramer was very much surprised when upon her return home

from church, to find her home in possession of twelve members of the Mothers' club, who had brought well-filled baskets, and had a fine lunch prepared. The occasion was to celebrate her birth anniversary.

Mrs. Gertrude Brennan is visiting friends in Indianapolis.

Mrs. W. H. Rinebolt and Mrs. L. W. Diggins visited relatives and friends in Wolcottville, Wednesday.

Glenn C. Haller has accepted a position with the Nyal Drug company at Detroit, Mich., having resigned his position as clerk in the P. G. Klinkenberg drug store.

Mrs. Donald Detro, of Fort Wayne, is the guest of Mrs. Charles Helmuth and family.

Dance, New Haven, Saturday night, orchestra.

LAST CALL

To Join Our Christmas Club

(Christmas Club Closes Monday, January 15.)

We have been highly gratified by the interest the public has taken in our Christmas Club.

Applications for membership continue to come in, but after this week we shall be obliged to close the entries.

We urgently advise all those who would like to be in this Club to attend to the matter at once. There are no formalities and no charges to join. If you can't get away to attend to it yourself, have a friend stop in for you.

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DAILY BIBLE READINGS FOR THE HOME

Luke 3:7-14.

7 Then said he to the multitude that came forth to be baptized of him, O generation of vipers, who hath warned you to flee from the wrath to come?

8 Bring forth therefore fruits worthy of repentance, and begin not to say within yourselves, We have Abraham to our father: for I say unto you, That God is able of these stones to raise up children unto Abraham.

9 And now also the axe is laid unto the root of the trees: every tree therefore which bringeth not forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire.

10 And the people asked him, saying, What shall we do then?

11 He answereth and saith unto them, He that hath two coats, let him impart to him that hath none; and he that hath meat, let him do likewise.

12 Then came also publicans to be baptized, and said unto him, Master, what shall we do?

13 And he said unto them, Exact no more than that which is appointed you.

14 And the soldiers likewise demanded of him, saying, And what shall we do? And he said unto them, Do violence to no man, neither accuse any falsely; and be content with your wages.

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Fighting Goodrich Measures

The wisdom of organized democratic opposition such as is now reported to be forming at Indianapolis to the abolition of the oil inspection bureau and certain other changes in state governmental machinery sponsored by Governor Goodrich seems to The Sentinel to be open to serious question. To begin with, in face of the heavy republican house majority, backed up by a complete state administration of like political faith, it is extremely doubtful if headway can be made. Rather the likelihood is that opposition will develop into nothing more than temporary obstruction that will prove futile at last.

But there are other considerations that should appeal to high-minded party men. Mr. Goodrich made his campaign for the governorship on certain well-defined lines. He indicated his purpose to do certain things if he were elected, and the magnitude of his majority manifested the plain intent of the people of Indiana to give him an opportunity to try out his governmental theories. They may prove an excellent thing for the state, and if that be true, democracy should gladly applaud them. They may prove to be colossal failures, in which case democracy is clearly absolved from all responsibility for the failure. It is none of our party funeral. The Goodrich propaganda is going to dislodge no office-holders who would not be displaced in any event as the outcome of the November results, so that the selfish but often-prevalent desire to take care of political friends cannot enter into the present situation, and opposition for the mere sake of opposition is utterly foolish.

Democracy, through the eight years of Indiana history just passed, did some big things and some splendid things in the operation of state government. Temporary reverse at the polls is not to be construed as a repudiation of all this. It is a record which speaks for itself, and if Mr. Goodrich's performance fails to square with his advance claims for it, the voters will be quick to return the reins of state government to the hands of democracy. He is by no means the first successful candidate to come into power with a program for radical change. In practice it may fail dismally to measure up to the glowing promises made for it, but we think democracy can well afford to give it a fair chance. If it is a better method than we have been using, certainly Indiana democrats want it. If it isn't, we may be very sure the voters will register their disapproval at the earliest opportunity. The democratic members of the present legislature have a most important duty in serving as the balance wheel in the legislative machinery. There is small occasion for them to do more and little hope for success in the attempt. We are glad to note, even with the talk of organized opposition, there is clearly apparent in the rank and file of democratic membership a desire to co-operate in any measure that promises practical economy without the sacrifice of high grade of governmental service. That is, after all, the highest duty of even the party man.

Pennsylvania presidential electors, meeting to formally cast their votes for Hughes and Fairbanks as required by law, were thoughtful and kindly enough to send Mr. Fairbanks an expression of the fact that even if the thirty-eight votes of Pennsylvania were useless to Mr. Fairbanks, they were glad he got them. Still, the size of the republican majority in Pennsylvania had convinced the country in advance how the Keystone state folk felt about it.

The entente reply to President Wilson's peace note and the casual comment on that document which comes hurtling out of Berlin, combine to indicate convincingly that each side is strong for peace if the other fellow gives in and admits he's licked, but under no other consideration whatsoever. Which is just about what we'd been given to understand long ago.

The multiplicity of bills now being introduced into the legislature to amend the law governing the holding of city primaries this year threatens to leave us as mixed and beclouded as was the case last spring when we addressed ourselves to the task of unscrambling the original law and finding out just what it meant, anyhow.

Congressman Wood's effort to secure a congressional investigation of that "leak" at Washington manifests pronounced symptoms of blowing up, and while it didn't get far, the Lafayette man can take to himself the pleasing reflection that it made a lot of noise while it lasted.

The mayor of Michigan City, who was elected four years ago by the republicans and the progressives, announces that he will seek reelection this year on the democratic ticket—doubtless on the principle that before a man can be certain which party he likes best, he should try them all.

The United Mine Workers having followed the coal operators, the railroads and the retail dealers in declaring that the miners are in no wise responsible for the high prices of coal, the thing seems to be unanimous and nobody's to blame.

Harry Thaw appears to have made a fizzle of his attempt at suicide—but fizzes are not especially unique in the career of this erratic young man. His entire life has been one.

Time and the Bee in the Movie Art

The real wonders of the moving picture machine are not those for which the public cares most. They are the marvels which the camera discloses in the various fields of science.

When the first films of a running horse were shown, jockeys and horse lovers discovered that they had never before seen how a horse actually moves.

There are thousands of movements in nature which are far too rapid for the human eye to detect. But the scientific camera has gradually been conquering time. The tale of the photographing of a bee in flight, as told by Francis A. Collins in his book, "The Camera Man," is a romance of a race between nature's mechanism in the shape of a bee's wing and the mechanism man has devised in the form of the moving picture machine.

It appears that the beat of a bee's wing is one of the most rapid movements in nature. The ordinary moving picture camera takes sixteen pictures a second, but this was too slow for the bee. Then a machine which could do an exposure in one two-hundredths of a second was used, but the bee was still leading.

Finally a special type of scientific moving picture machine was operated.

A bee was launched almost upside down before the camera, and the film shows its efforts to right itself. But the bee regained its equilibrium so quickly that no human eye could possibly follow its movements. The final exposure shows the bee right side up and making a "bee line" for safety. The entire operation was performed in one-hundredth of a second, during which period twenty sharply focussed pictures were taken.

But so slowly does the human eye accommodate itself to the details of motion, that when the bee films are shown, they must be slowed down to the rate ordinarily used, and the bee's wings "appear to flap as lazily as those of a very deliberate chicken when stretching itself."

Thus the most ardent movie fan is quite unaware of the most amazing features of this great modern art.

Auto is America's Greatest Carrier

(BY BASIL MANLY.)

When it comes to passenger traffic the auto has run away from the steam railroad and the electric cars.

Alfred Reeves, general manager of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, has collected statistics which show that the automobiles of the United States perform a greater passenger service than either the entire American steam railroad system or all the urban and interurban electric roads.

Here are the figures: In 1914 the steam railroads carried 1,053,000,000 passengers an average distance of 33.6-10 miles, or a total of 33 1-4 billion passenger miles. In comparison, the 3,250,000 passenger automobiles now registered, averaging 5,000 miles a year, which is very conservative, and carrying three passengers per car, gave a service of 48 3-4 billion passenger-miles, or 45 per cent more than all the steam railroads of the country.

The steam railroads earned \$700,400,000 for their passenger service, but at the same rate per mile the automobiles would have earned \$975,000,000, or nearly enough to pay the ordinary expenses of the federal government.

The street and electric railroads carried 9,500,000,000 passengers in 1912 (the latest official figures available). The average distance was 4 miles, making 38,000,000,000 passenger-miles, or about 20 per cent less than the automobiles.

AIN'T NATURE WONDERFUL!
BY GENE AHERN

The fella who admits he is a bone-head shows signs of wisdom. Hit on the head. Take your base!

Any kid will tell you his mother is a movie actress, with the slipper. Over the pan! One strike!

Gee! It must be tough for a fellow to go to work again, after his political job has went. You're out!

I see where it takes 5,000 elephants a year to make piano keys. Ain't it

The Sentinel's Daily Cartoonet

YES, BUT TO KEEP IT WILL BE NO JOKE



jest wonderful what some animals can be trained to do?—Glegly Goot.

If success came as easy as colds—OH! BOY!

UNSOLVED MYSTERIES.

Why do they label 'em "a bouncing baby boy, or girl?" Is it on account of the bawl?

That's him, officer!

SHORT ONES.

A statesman makes the occasion, but the occasion makes the politician. —Hillard.

A rival to the great question, How to Dispose of Used Razor Blades, is: What to Do With Last Year's Calendars.

Oklahoma man gets a divorce, alleging short skirts. If this becomes a precedent, what an unscrambling there'll be!

An Indiana woman is backing a bill to abolish corsets. We'd like to prohibit wives from selecting husbands' neckties.

Intense excitement in Nicaragua: A new president took office, and there wasn't a riot!

With censorship of the newspapers and the movies on the way to success, how soon before the Sons of Darkness will be censoring the Bible?

Letters from The Sentinel Readers

LIKES TAX ARTICLES.

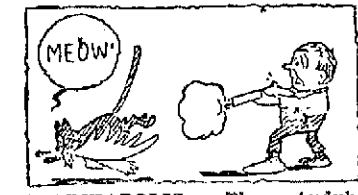
To the Editor of The Sentinel: I have been reading with much interest the series of articles on Indiana taxation by Professor Wright. They get to the bottom of our troubles, it seems to me. I have been making something of a study of taxation myself and realize that a remedy is needed for Fort Wayne conditions, at least. I have come to think that a permanent assessor would be a step in the right direction. A READER.

HORSE RAISERS TO MEET.

There will be a meeting at one o'clock Saturday afternoon in the office of A. J. Hutchins, county agent, of Belgian horse raisers of the Fort Wayne district, who will perfect their organization.

Player Piano, \$325, regular value \$550. A bargain. At Spiegel Piano Co., 825 Calhoun St.

ODD, ISN'T IT?



MINNEAPOLIS — The Audubon Bird club has decreed that cats must go.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

What the Sentinel Had to Say About Persons and Events Twenty-Five Years Ago.

The weather for the past week has been hard on street car horses.

The elevator at the government building broke down this morning. No one was hurt.

Last night's snow wasn't very big, but it improved the sleighing somewhat on our paved streets.

The Centerville Brewing company is cutting ice on Spy Run near the Centerville park. The ice is four inches in thickness.

E. F. Yarnelle informs a Sentinel reporter that several new patients from Michigan have just arrived at the Plymouth institute.

Col. James Humphrey, who accompanied his aged mother to Michigan, has returned home. Mrs. Humphrey has gone to Muskegon, where she will visit another son.

E. L. Crow has taken a position with the Lombard Insurance agency, to succeed W. P. Cooper, who is now managing the Plymouth institute at Warsaw for Messrs. Mossman and Yarnelle.

Henry Spencer, a butcher working in a Fairfield avenue meat market, was cutting meat with a cleaver

yesterday morning, when the ax glanced against a bone and slipping from his hand, buried itself in his right leg.

About 10 o'clock last night the department of the Second ward engine house responded to a summons from box 43, and soon reached the premises at 70 Force street, where a woodshed was in flames. The property is owned by C. Denahy.

The following committee has been appointed by the Sons of Veterans to perfect arrangements for the next state encampment to be held here in August or September: Capt. E. H. Bookwalter, Capt. W. F. Geller, Capt. T. W. Blair, Lieut. Ed. C. Close and James M. Robinson.

City Clerk Rudy C. Reinwald in making up his records for building permits issued during the year 1891, finds the total number of applications granted by him, 375; the total number granted in 1890, were 485, making a decrease for 1891 of 110. This decrease Mr. Reinwald attributes to the great amount of street and minor improvements done in 1891, amounting to the sum of \$401,000.

BIGGEST CLOTHING VALUES

While the average store is "cleaning up" its "early season left overs" at reduced prices, I am in the market BUYING NEW GOODS ON WHICH THE MANUFACTURER TAKES THE LOSS in order to clean up his surplus stocks. Thus I am able to offer the men of Fort Wayne the FINAL WINTER PRODUCTIONS of FINE SUITS and OVERCOATS in a complete RANGE OF SIZES—in ALL MODELS—ALL MATERIALS—ALL PATTERNS—ALL COLORS—FOR A WHOLE LOT LESS than you you are usually asked to pay for INCOMPLETE LINES and ODDS and ENDS. TODAY I am in a position to offer you SUITS and OVERCOATS at \$10-\$15-\$20 that couldn't be manufactured at those prices. This is an absolute fact and you can verify it by personal inspection.

REMEMBER THIS FACT, that COST OF PRODUCTION this year is going to be as HIGH and EVEN HIGHER THAN EVER BEFORE. Materials, woolsens, dyes, etc., are all at TOP NOTCH PRICES so the WISE MAN is the man who BUYS TODAY for the FUTURE.

Just Right Clothes
Theo. J. Israel
1011 CALHOUN ST.

Sketches from Life . . . By Temple



"You Will Like Him, Daddy"

NEW CLUB WANTS TO FIND A HOME

Next action of the newly formed University club will be to rent a home. Directors of the organization discussed that question on Thursday evening. They expect to decide on the matter at their next meeting. Membership committee of the club will meet on Saturday night to pass on another list of names, which have been handed in of eligibles to the club. The organization promises to enroll more members than any other club in the city. The men will hold a "get-together" meeting sometime in the near future.

In 1912 the United States imported more than 38,000,000 tons of grass and clover seed, 13,000,000 of which came from Germany. In 1915 the importations were not heavy, but over three-fourths of them came from France,

Doctor Tells How To Strengthen Eyesight 50 per cent In One Week's Time In Many Instances

A Free Prescription You Can Have Filled and Use at Home.

Philadelphia, Pa. Do you wear glasses? Are you a victim of eye strain or other eye weakness? If so, you will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope for you. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored through the principle of this wonderful free prescription. One man says, after trying it: "I was almost blind; could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without any glasses and my eyes do not water any more. At night they would pain dreadfully; now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "The atmosphere seemed hazy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seems clear. I can even read the print without glasses." It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time and multitudes more will be able

to strengthen their eyes so as to be spared the trouble and expense of ever getting spectacles. Eye troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefited by following the simple rules. Here is the prescription: Go to any active drug store and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets. Drop one Bon-Opto tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and allow to dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. You should notice your eyes clear up perceptibly right from the start and in a few days your eyesight will be restored. If your eyes are bothering you, even a little, take steps to save them now before it is too late. Many hopelessly blind might have been saved if they had cared for their eyes in time.

Note: Another prominent physician to whom the above article was submitted, said: "Bon-Opto is a very remarkable eye specialist and widely prescribed by them. The manufacturer guarantees it to strengthen eyesight 50 per cent in one week's time in many instances or refund the money. It can be obtained from any good druggist and is one of the very best preparations I feel should be kept on hand for regular use in almost every family." It is sold in Ft. Wayne by

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Sentinel Want Ads. Pay.

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WHEN YOU THINK OF DRY GOODS THINK OF THE GREAT CLEARANCE SALE THAT IS NOW GOING ON AT OUR STORE. YOU CAN SAVE MONEY ON WHATEVER YOU BUY.

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9c Unbleached Muslin, Sale Price, 8c a yd.
10c Unbleached Muslin, Sale Price, 9c yd.
11c Unbleached Muslin, Sale Price, 10c yd.
9c Bleached Muslin, Sale Price, 8 1/2c a yd.
10c Bleached Muslin, Sale Price, 9c a yd.
11c Bleached Muslin, Sale Price, 10c a yd.
12 1/2c Bleached Muslin, Sale Price, 11c yd.
11c White Cambric Muslin at 10c a yard.
36-in. Bleached Pillow Tubing, Sale Price, 16c a yard.
40-in. Bleached Pillow Tubing, Sale Price, 17c a yard.
42-in. Bleached Pillow Tubing, Sale Price, 18c a yard.
40-in. Bleached Pillow Casing, Sale Price, 14c a yard.
42-in. Bleached or Half Bleached Pillow Casing at 16c a yard.
9x4 Unbleached Sheeting, Sale Price, 28c a yard.
9x4 Bleached Sheeting, Sale Price, 28c yd.
9x4 Bleached Sheeting, Sale Price, 30c yd.
Good Straw Ticking at 10c and 11 1/2c yd.
Good Feather Ticking at 16c a yard.
Extra Heavy Feather Ticking at 23c a yd.
Bleached Bed Sheets, Sale Price, 53c each.
Bleached Pillow Cases at 12 1/2c each.
Cotton Blankets, grey or tan, Special price, 59c and 75c a pair.
Large Size Grey or tan Cotton Blankets, Sale Price, 98c a pair.
Large Size Woolnap Blankets, Special price, \$1.89 a pair.
Extra Large Wool Finish Plaid Blankets at \$2.75 a pair.
Extra Heavy and Extra Large Wool Finish Plaid Blankets, Sale Price, \$2.98 pr.

Large Size Fancy Plaid Wool Blankets, Sale Price, \$4.50 a pair.
Large Size Fancy Plaid Wool Blankets, Special price, \$5.00 a pair.
Good Bed Comforters at \$1.25 and \$1.50 ea.
All Curtains and Curtain Materials sold at Clearance Sale Prices.

LINEN DEPARTMENT.

Brown Cotton Toweling, Sale Price, 6c yd.
Bleached Cotton Toweling, Twilled, Sale Price, 6c a yard.
Unbleached Linen Crash, Sale Price, 10c a yard.
18-in. Unbleached Linen Crash, Sale Price, 13c a yard.
All Linen Unbleached Crash, Sale Price, 16c a yard.
Bleached Linen Finish Crash, Sale Price, 11c a yard.
Large Size Hemmed Bed Spreads, Sale Price, 95c each.
Large Size Hemmed Bed Spreads at \$1.15 each.
Extra Large Size Hemmed Bed Spreads at \$1.25 each.
Extra Large Size Hemmed Bed Spreads at \$1.39 each.
Extra Large Size Hemmed Bed Spreads at \$1.75 each.
Bleached Huck Towels, Sale Price, 7c ea.
Heavy Huck Towels, plain white or colored border, Sale Price, 8 1/2c each.
Fringed Bleached Bath Towels, Special Price, 9c each.
Hemmed Bath Towels, Sale Price, 10c and 12 1/2c each.
Extra Large Hemmed Bath Towels, Sale Price, 15c each.

Don't Fail To Attend This Great Sale as It Means Money in Your Pocket.

Wm. HAHN & CO.

Fort Wayne's Greatest Bargain Store.

NEWS OF FORT WAYNE'S NEIGHBORS

AUTO CRASH

MAY BE FATAL

Two Men Seriously Injured When Automobile Was Wrecked North of Markle.

Markle, Ind., Jan. 12.—In an automobile accident on the Wells-Huntington county line road, about one and one-half miles north of Markle, Charles Faust, a farmer whose home is near Hippus, was dangerously, and it is feared fatally injured, and his companion, Jesse Tyner, living east of Huntington, sustained a broken arm and other injuries.

Both men were taken into Markle by A. Edgar, a farmer who happened along in an automobile and found the two men with their wrecked car, both free from the car, but too dazed to know just how the accident occurred. Indications were that the Overland car, belonging to Faust, was going at a pretty good speed, south, when in trying to get out of a rut, the car got beyond control. It had flipped over twice and stopped headed north. The top was torn off the car and other fixtures, fenders, etc., were smashed, but the car was run into Markle on its own power.

\$80,000 IS PLEDGED.

Bluffton Meets Proposition to Secure the Bay Piano Factory.

Bluffton, Ind., Jan. 12.—Victory for Bluffton in the strenuous campaign to win the H. C. Bay Piano company factory for this city, was proclaimed when half a dozen long blasts were blown on the city waterworks whistle, the prearranged signal to citizens that success had crowned the efforts to

meet the conditions of the proposition of Mr. H. C. Bay, president of the Bay company.

The victory announced meant that the committee who did such faithful work had brought to a successful climax their canvass for contributions to a \$20,000 bonus fund and for subscriptions to the \$60,000 worth of preferred stock which Bluffton people are to take in the H. C. Bay company under the conditions set out in the proposition from Mr. Bay.

STRUCK BY TRAIN.

Bluffton Junk Buyer Has Narrow Escape from Death.

Bluffton, Ind., Jan. 12.—Max Gurtvitz, of this city, a brother-in-law of Joe Gilman, the West Washington street junk dealer, with whom he is employed, had a narrow and almost miraculous escape from death about eleven o'clock Thursday forenoon, when Gilman's Ford automobile truck, which he was driving, was struck at a crossing at the north edge of Poneto, by Lake Erie south-bound local freight No. 93, in charge of Conductor Charles Gray.

SCHOOL STATISTICS.

Decatur, Ind., Jan. 12.—Auditor John Mosure has received from Indianapolis a report of the school funds that will come to Adams county from the January distribution of funds for 1917. The distribution is made on a per capita basis of \$2.05 per person between the ages of 6 and 21 years in the state. The last distribution made in June was on a basis of \$2.31 per capita. The report shows that there are in Adams county a school population of 6,911 and that the county will receive from the state school tax \$12,335.77 and from interest on the

common school fund \$2,113.04, a total of \$14,448.81.

MORE ADDITIONS PLANNED.

Garrett, Ind., Jan. 12.—That the Baltimore & Ohio intends to spend a few hundred thousand dollars in Garrett improvements and extensions this year is reliably reported to be practically beyond a doubt. The plans call for extension of the yards to Auburn Junction and large additions to the shops. The yard extensions will make Garrett one of the more important terminals of the system. The present plans call for the addition of four stalls to the roundhouse, the erection of a machine shop adjacent to the roundhouse and the installation of new machinery in other departments of the shops.

GREATER PLANT PROPOSED.

Montpelier, Ind., Jan. 12.—One of the bigest deals made in the city for a long time was the purchase of the controlling stock in the Montpelier Manufacturing company by Guy R. Rackin and others, who will develop the business as fast as it can be done. The plant will be under the same management it has been—Charles Morse, manager, and Dave Lillie, both of whom have stock in the concern. The new organization has not met to organize and elect officers, but will do this in a short time, sometime during January.

MRS. STOGDILL DEAD.

Bluffton, Ind., Jan. 12.—Mrs. Charles Stogdill, aged 28 years, died at an early hour yesterday morning, at her home, two miles north of Toesin. Mrs. Stogdill had been sick for over a week, but was taken seriously ill with pneumonia, which was the direct cause of her death, late Tuesday evening.

LIGONER PIONEER DEAD.

Ligonier, Ind., Jan. 12.—Levi Glant, 77, died at his home in Ligonier Thursday after an illness of some weeks, death resulting from hardening of the arteries. Levi Glant had been a resident of Noble county and

community for many years and had spent much of his life in the Hawspatch, moving to Ligonier about seven years ago. He was a highly respected citizen. Surviving besides a widow are two children, Ora Glant, of near Topeka, and Hattie Glant, of Terre Haute.

NEW ROAD WANTED.

Warsaw, Ind., Jan. 12.—George Harlan and fifty-nine other taxpayers of Scott township have filed a petition with the county auditor to be presented at the next session of the county commissioners asking for an improved highway in the township, to begin at the south end of the Anglin road and extend to the south line of the township. The petition asks for a free gravel road about two miles in length.

IN NEW QUARTERS MONDAY.

Garrett, Ind., Jan. 12.—Beginning next Monday, the Garrett postoffice will be located in the Abell building on East King street. The new quarters are being furnished in readiness for the removal from the Thomson building on West King street. Workmen have been engaged in getting the equipment installed and the rooms otherwise prepared for the government's use.

FOUND DEAD IN CHAIR.

Bluffton, Ind., Jan. 12.—Dick Hunter, owner of the fish market on North Main street and for years a familiar figure on the streets of Bluffton, was found dead in his chair yesterday morning, in his room over the old Meriman bakery on East Market street. It is thought that he died in the early hours of the morning, from heart disease.

756 MILES OF ROAD.

Bluffton, Ind., Jan. 12.—There are 756 miles of improved roads in Wells county, according to the report made today by County Highway Superintendent Markley. Of this number 236 miles are improved with stone and 460 miles with gravel. During the year of 1916 a total of forty miles of road were resurfaced, this being in addition to the general repair work.

VICTIM OF CANCER.

Warsaw, Ind., Jan. 12.—Mrs. Charles Balsley, aged 35 years, was claimed by death Wednesday evening, death occurring at her home a mile north of this city. Mrs. Balsley had been in ill health for a number of months and for the past three months had been confined constantly to her bed. Her death was due to cancer.

SUES FOR COMMISSION.

Auburn, Ind., Jan. 12.—Suit for \$1,190 alleged to be due as his commission in a real estate deal, brought by John A. Stockberger, a Fort Wayne real estate man, against Raymond B. Zane, of Hillsdale county, Mich., is being heard by a jury in the DeKalb circuit court.

HARTFORD CITY WOMAN DEAD.

Hartford City, Ind., Jan. 12.—Mrs. Sophia Adams Howard, 81, wife of Rev. I. J. Howard, west Kickapoo street, died early Thursday morning after an illness of four weeks with a complication of diseases. She had not been in the best of health for some time prior to that period.

HEARING MARCH 1.

Garrett, Ind., Jan. 12.—A hearing of the petition for a tunnel under the Lee street crossing of the Baltimore & Ohio will be held in Garrett March 1. Notification to this effect was sent last week to H. A. Gard, who was instrumental in getting the petition to the commission.

TAKEN TO PRISON.

Portland, Ind., Jan. 12.—George W. Foster, sentenced to the Jeffersonville reformatory for an indefinite period of one to eight years, was taken to the state institution Thursday by Deputy Sheriff Glenn Arbaugh, who started on the early morning train, going by way of Richmond.

HUNTERTOWN BANK ELECTIONS.

The Huntertown State bank has elected the following officers for the coming year: Charles Hartung, president; Charles Bleke, vice president; William Burrell, secretary, and Ben Warnock, cashier. The board of directors besides the officers is composed of Charles Solomon, Charles Rodenbeck, Guy Kniss and J. W. Garman.

Sentinel Want Ads. Pay.

The Most Important Ladies' Wearing Apparel

Bargain Event of the Year

January Clear-A-Way Sale

Offering Every Garment in the Store at Prices That Does Not Cover the Cost of Materials

We will countenance no laggard lots—no last season's goods here—because we want to keep our stocks new. This sale is proving to hundreds of frugal shoppers to what extremes we will go in order to carry out this policy of offering our entire remaining stock of Women's Coats, Suits, Dresses, Skirts and Waists at such prices that do not even cover the cost of the materials.



COATS AT WONDER PRICES

\$8.00 and \$10.00 Coats Now	\$11.50 to \$13.50 Coats Now	\$15.00 to \$17.50 Coats Now	\$18.50 to \$20.00 Coats Now	\$22.50 to \$30.00 Coats Now
\$5.00	\$7.75	\$9.95	\$10.75	\$14.75

SUITS In Three Big Groups Dresses In Silk and Serges

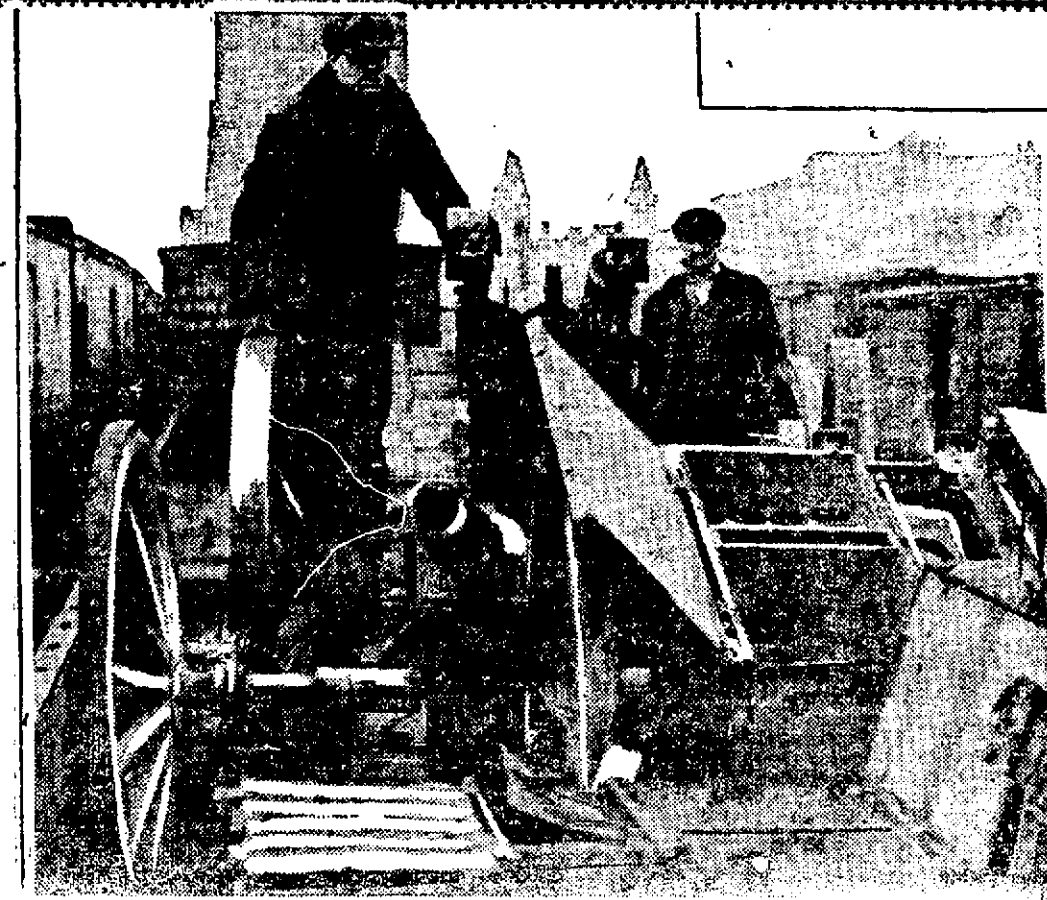
Suit Values to \$20, Now	Suit Values to \$25, Now	Suit Values to \$35, Now	Dress Values to \$15, Now	Dress Values to \$20, Now
\$7.95	\$9.95	\$12.50	\$9.95	\$10.75

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Values, Slightly Soiled
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The Paris
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920 Calhoun Street

WAISTS
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Values, Mostly Silks
\$1.00

CANNON SHIPPED TO UNITED STATES BY CARLOADS.



Cannon and other war materials are being shipped to the United States from the war zone of Europe by carloads. This picture, by Durborough, Sentinel special photographer, shows a cannon which was part of eight carloads of war materials, gruesome reminders of the slaughter of men in Europe, shipped to Chicago for exhibition during a bazaar to raise relief funds.

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Men's \$2.00 Wool Union Suits.....**\$1.48**
Men's \$3.00 Wool Union Suits.....**\$1.89**
Men's Heavy Work Shoes.....**\$1.98**
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Mrs. Mize Gives Noon Day Talk.
Mrs. F. F. Mize talked to the young women employed in the A. H. Perfect factory on Thursday noon, concerning the value of opportunity and friendship, which she described as golden in quality, when they stood for the highest things. The "golden" opportunities and so on were emphasized by a yellow plan in decoration. The string quartet from the Orpheum theater furnished some music that added to the pleasure of the hour, and J. B. Franke made a few appropriate remarks during the time.

AT THE MAJESTIC.

"Intolerance," the World's Movie Sensation, Opens Monday.
Not since "The Birth of a Nation" started the theater world has there been offered such a sensation as is afforded by D. W. Griffith's "Intolerance," which will begin an engagement of three days at the Majestic Monday.

That Griffith has duplicated the popular success of "The Birth of a Nation" is now an established fact, and the consensus of opinion is enthusiastically in support of the assertion that his last is not only his greatest production but that it is the most massive and stupendous the world is likely to see in many years.

The marvels of Babylon with its glitter and pomp; the ceremonies of the priests; the orgies of the courts and finally the destruction of Babel—these are the scenes of the picture. The single street which discloses a part of Babylon and which is a mile in length cost \$250,000.00 to erect. Not in the magnificence of its settings is this picture spectacle unique in the world. The ordinary and conventional methods of story telling on the stage have been abandoned entirely. A new art form has been created. The production tells four stories, each one a complete and historical narrative, and none related to any other, save in that spirit which, in this spectacle, makes war upon Intolerance.

AT THE PALACE.

THE KILLAIRNEY MAIDS.

Charming Musical Melange Tops Bill at New Palace.

With the Kilkenny sisters as the principals, the "Maids of Kilkenny" in a review of Irish folk songs and dances are presenting a charming musical melange as the feature attraction at the New Palace for the remainder of the week. The girls are musicians of wide versatility, playing a varied group of instruments and singing equally well while their dignified dancing numbers are made all the prettier by reason of the exquisitely dainty costumes they wear.

"Check Your Hat" is the new vehicle in which John T. Ray and Grace Hillard are riding to fame this season. Ray as the country bumpkin, with the laughable mannerisms is as funny as ever. Life's not one of the "straw hatted-hay-seed-in-the-hair" type but one that might have been picked from real life. Kane and Green's dancing and singing medley interspersed with a riot of hilarious comedy business gets over big. Kane and Herman are a team of sidewalk klidders with plenty of new stuff. Fields, Keane and Walsh, a trio of singing boys, have a novel arrangement for their act appearing as the candy boy, usher and card boy of a theater, having a good time after the show by pre-empting the stage, and putting on an act of their own. Will Morris, the cycling comedian, is a clever clown that opens the bill in an effective manner.

AT THE JEFFERSON.

"The Great Secret," Jefferson's New Serial, Makes Big Hit.

If the balance of the chapters of "The Great Secret," the mighty Metro serial which opened at the Jefferson yesterday with chapter one, "The Secret Seven," contains as much action and interest compelling material as the initial episode, a new era of quality will be established for continued

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We invite personal inspection which will reveal what an abundance of beauty and good values our reduced prices will buy for you from our splendid collection of

Coats, Suits, Dresses,
Gowns, Waists, Skirts,
Furs and Petticoats



SOCIETY

Honoring her guest, Miss Barbara Dodge and Mrs. S. T. Hull, of Angola, Mrs. James B. Crankshaw entertained players for nine tables of ladies at auction bridge this afternoon. Many pink carnations and roses and palms gave the rooms a lovely appearance and furthered the pleasure of the company. Mrs. Hull, Miss Dodge and Miss Helen Colerick assisted the hostess in serving a delicious and refreshing repast after the game. Mrs. Oscar Fox's sister, Mrs. Louis Diesel, of Chicago, was a visiting guest.

A buffet luncheon was Mrs. S. R. Bechtel's manner of entertaining visiting ladies here for the Bowser convention, this afternoon. The house had a profusion of flowers for decorative purposes and the result was lovely with pink roses in the breakfast room. Mrs. Bechtel was assisted by Mrs. S. F. Bowser, who poured coffee; Mrs. D. A. Corey, who served the ice cream from a handsomely appointed table, and by Mrs. Harry Bowser and Mrs. H. J. Grosvenor in the living room, and Mrs. A. S. Bowser, Mrs. W. G. Zahrt, Mrs. L. F. Johnson, Mrs. Daniel Milligan and Miss Mildred Bowser in the dining room. The guests at the luncheon numbered fifty-five.

Mrs. Ellis Branson invited a few intimate friends to meet Mrs. Harold Stark at a theater party followed by refreshments at the Arentz store yesterday afternoon. The table was laid in pink, with roses and stelia for the

center and pink baskets of nuts and pink and white frosted cakes for each place. Mrs. Stark's mother and sister, Mrs. I. N. Taylor and Mrs. N. N. Fisher, invited a few friends to call to say goodbye on Wednesday, as Mrs. Stark returned with her little daughter, Ruth Margaret, to Detroit, today.

Mrs. Frank Cutshall entertained girlhood friends of Mrs. Lura Fee Rohrer, of Kansas City, Mo., at a luncheon of charming appointments at 1 o'clock today. Spring flowers were the decoration and visiting with the honor guest was interspersed with exclamations of pleasure over the delectable menu served.

One might not unnaturally conclude by attending Morning Musical programs in Elks' hall this winter that each program committee was trying to give a program a little bit more varied or finer in quality than any previously done since the society resumed its active member programs in October. And while that is not the exact case it is true that many very beautiful programs have been given. Today Mrs. Clara Zollars-Bond, Mrs. C. A. Horton, Miss Walls and Miss Spindler were the committee and they had the satisfaction of a large audience and a nearly flawless program. Assisting the committee were Mrs. H. H. Rogers, Miss Ethel Doud, Mrs. William Cleary, Miss Emel Verweire, Miss Irene Aptelbaum and non-members Wade Verweire, cello; Wilbur Pickett

and Myron Fisher, violins, and Paul Gregg, flute. Both solo and concerted work was splendidly done while accompanists again demonstrated what ability and attainment mean in the art of accompanying.

Mrs. E. H. Rohbock, of Wabash, is to spend the week-end here with her daughter, Miss Eva Rohbock.

Mrs. L. E. Trout, of Packard avenue, gave a small bridge party yesterday in honor of Mrs. P. Gately, of Chicago.

Dallas F. Green has returned to Newark, N. J., but Mrs. Green remains in town to care for her husband's aged father, Thomas H. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kanse are entertaining their daughter, Mrs. E. W. Breese and her daughter, Evelyn, of Chicago, for a few days' visit.

Mrs. W. J. Evans, of 1313 West Wayne street, has returned from a three weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. R. M. Kapp, of St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. Ray Kulp and little son, from Davenport, Ia., who were here on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller, of East DeWald street, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bercau, who were here on a visit and spending their honeymoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Wagner, of 1215 Scott avenue, have returned to Edgerton, O.

The informal dancing club meets Friday evening in the hall of the Odd Fellows' building, corner of Wayne and Calhoun streets. The change of meeting place is temporary for this evening only.

Mrs. Fred Scheiman entertained the Laetitia club members on Wednesday afternoon at a special gathering to honor visitors, Mrs. Enoch Schroeder, of Washington, D. C., and Miss Sophie Becker, of the same city.

Mrs. Edith Nickell-Bailhe, Miss Helene Spindler and Miss Gerorgette Bonelli gave a concert in South Whitley on Wednesday evening that was one of a series of lecture entertainments in progress there this winter.

The marriage of Miss Louise Christie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Christie, of Spy Run avenue, to Mr. Otto Dirmeyer, an engineer for the Pennsylvania company, has just been announced as having taken place in Michigan, on August 12, 1916. Mr. and Mrs. Dirmeyer have begun housekeeping at 111 West Williams street, and are at home to their many friends there.

Mrs. Walter G. Zahrt, of Hoagland avenue, gave a luncheon on Thursday to honor visiting ladies at the convention of Bowser manufacturing men. Small tables were laid for the luncheon and pink and white roses and carnations decorated each table. Mrs. H. J. Grosvenor, Mrs. Daniel Milligan, Mrs. E. H. Briggs, Miss Esther Zahrt, Miss Lola Billman and Miss Bess Bark assisted Mrs. Zahrt in serving the fifty-five guests present. An impromptu program of music was enjoyed after the luncheon.

Mrs. G. W. McCaskey gave a delightful afternoon entertainment on Thursday in honor of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Edward McCaskey, who has come from Mississippi to live. Assisting at refreshments were Mrs. F. E. Stouder and Mrs. Edwin Dabman. The ladies invited included Mrs. H. B. Masten, Mrs. Maurice Lehman, Mrs.

films and records for attendance broken. From the first to the final flicker there is never a second's waning of interest. Francis X. Bushman and Beverly Bane, the stars, are at their best, the former being given ample opportunity to use his athletic ability in this chapter when he rescues the heroine from a band of kidnappers who are members of a band of crooks who operate in the financial district of New York. "The Great Secret" is the classic of all serials. It has excellent direction and a story that is going to be most intensely gripping and interesting. It has beautiful, clear photography, two popular stars, a capable supporting cast and real red-blooded action, not the wishy-washy variety, but strenuous, thrilling action that makes the blood run faster. There is distinct individuality, mystery, a love strain, all of which are a part of the swiftly moving whole. Those who are partial to serials will find no cause for complaint in chapter one of "The Great Secret," which will be presented again today, along with "The Dollar and the Law," with Lillian Walker, better known as "Dimples," in the stellar role. These two excellent features and the Harmony singers form a program of variety filled with real amusement value.

A household novelty is both a nut pick and bottle opener and can be used to hold an ear of corn when it is being eaten.

Star Tells How To Make Spares



Mrs. Harper is wife of the chairman of the Wilson Inaugural committee and will lead Washington society in inauguration ceremonies, March 5.

Clearance Sale of Millinery

About 50 Trimmed Velvet Hats; formerly much higher in price; your choice of this big lot, tomorrow

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One lot of Untrimmed Silk Velvet Shapes in black and dark colors; worth a great deal more

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UNCLE SAM'S BUDGET BIG, STILL GROWING

New Army and Navy Will
Add Heavily to Totals
for Next Year.

BY GIBSON GARDNER.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Uncle Sam's budget for next year will be approximately a billion dollars. It is a growing budget, and the following year it will be a billion, three hundred million. The bigger army and navy account for the greater totals.

The past fiscal year saw all bills paid out of regular revenues and about forty million dollars margin in the federal fund. It is estimated by Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo that the fiscal year which ends June 30, 1917, will see a deficit of about a hundred million and that at the end of the 1918 fiscal year the deficit will be about three hundred millions.

To meet these deficits the authorities plan to sell Panama canal bonds and to put on some additional taxes—perhaps on coffee, rubber and wool.

The above figures do not include the postoffice receipts and expenditures. That department pays for itself and generally shows a balance to the good.

The expenditures from the general fund for the last fiscal year were as follows:

For civil establishment	\$204,048,737.91
For military establishment	122,392,362.98
For soldiers' homes, cemeteries, etc.	\$9,732,912.14
For rivers and harbors	32,456,301.55
For naval establishment	155,939,425.78
For Indian service	17,570,283.81
For pensions	159,303,351.20
For interest on public debt	22,860,313.03
For Panama canal	17,503,128.07
For miscellaneous	1,016,310.50
Total	\$741,996,726.97

In the above table it is interesting to note that the expenditures for pensions exceeds what was spent on the active military establishment. In other words, the government is paying more each year on account of the civil war fought fifty-three years ago than it is for maintaining an army for present use. These figures are for the fiscal year which closed June 30, 1916, and do not include the cost of the militia mobilization on the Mexican border.

This money was raised from the following sources:

Customs	\$213,185,845.63
Internal revenue:	
Ordinary	303,386,474.04
Emergency taxes	84,278,303.13
Corporation income tax	56,993,557.98
Individual income tax	67,943,594.63
Sale of public lands	1,887,661.80
Mint service	4,254,613.12
Panama canal tolls	2,869,995.28
Miscellaneous	47,534,403.16
Total	\$732,534,547.77

Secretary McAdoo figures on more

money in the next two years. He estimates that the individual income tax will yield \$111,750,000 and the corporation tax \$133,000,000. He boosts the customs revenues also to \$230,000,000 in his mind. In 1918 the secretary expects to have one billion, seven million to spend; on the heels of which he will borrow three hundred million to meet the deficit.

If peace comes and the naval program is reduced this great outlay will not be required.

WILL CELEBRATE SUNDAY.

The B'nai B'rith will celebrate Sunday evening at the lodge rooms in the Odd Fellow's building. Emek Besachs lodge No. 61 will observe B'nai B'rith day. A banquet will be served at the Wayne hotel at 5:30 o'clock. Members will march to the lodge rooms where a class of candidates will be initiated. Rabbi Samuel Herschberg, formerly of this city, will speak.

Twenty-three operations are necessary in the washing and ironing of a collar.

Fresh or canned rainwater is useful for cleaning aluminum cooking utensils. One or two stalks, either fresh or canned, cut in small pieces, are added to each quart of water and boiled in the discolored kettle until it is clean.

January Clearance Sale

Our entire stock of Winter Corsets, Brassieres, and other accessories has been marked down to cost price. We must dispose of this stock immediately.

We urge you to come and make your selection early while the stock is complete.

**Mme. Catherine's
Corset Shop**
218 W. Wayne St.—Phone 3009.

January Sale, Saturday— Special

\$2.50 Men's Pants, to close out...\$1.98
\$1.00 Boys' Pants, to close out...75c
50c Men's Work Shirts, to close out 39c
\$1.50 \$1.25 Best Overalls, all sizes
\$1.00 Men's Dress Shirts, sample
10c Men's Dress and Work Hose
25c Men's Wool Hose, special, 19c pair
50c all Wool Hose, special, 25c pair
\$3.50 \$3.00 Baby Coat, best hat
gowns, sizes 2 to 6...\$2.75, \$2.25
\$1.50 \$1.00 Misses Coat, size 8
to 14...\$1.25, \$1.00
\$6.00 Best Silk Skirt, bargains, \$4.50
\$5.00 Best Ladies' Waist, all colors
and sizes...\$3.50, \$3.00
\$1.50 Best Ladies' House Dress,
bargains...95c, 75c, 25c
\$2.00 \$1.50 Ladies' Kid Gloves,
Accessories, special 2 for...50c
10c O. N. T. Thread, 10 for...50c
10c Barter Towels, special...48c doz.
10c Bath Towels, special...23c
SPECIAL
Ladies' Corset, on the old price, 50c
\$1.00 \$1.25 \$1.50 \$1.75. Save money
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You Can Keep Them Free from
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These two fine boys have a "Little Bodyguard" to protect them against sudden attacks of croup or cold troubles. Their mother Mrs. C. C. Evinger, 1224 N. 6th St., Terre Haute, Ind., writes—

"I have tried your Vick's VapoRub on my two boys (who are nineteen months and three and

one-half years old respectively), and have found it very satisfactory, and they had the croup. The first application helped to loosen the phlegm, making them rest more easily, and they were able to sleep. VapoRub also helped them when they had severe colds. I can recommend it to all mothers."

But the best part about this "Little Bodyguard"—VapoRub, is that it is applied externally and hence can be used freely, with perfect safety, on the smallest child, as often as wished. Three size, 25c, 50c or \$1.00.

"Keep a little Body-Guard in YOUR home"
VICK'S VAPORUB SALVE

DR. G. S. BLISS TO SPEAK ON "WHAT WE OWE THE DEFECTIVE."



Much interest is being taken in the Dr. George S. Bliss series of addresses being delivered each Sunday evening at the First Presbyterian church on "What We Owe." Charles M. Niezer began the series last Sunday evening when he spoke on "What We Owe the Boy." On next Sunday evening Dr. George S. Bliss, superintendent of the Indiana school for feeble minded youth, and an authority, will speak on "What We Owe the Defective." In view of the fact that care of the defectives has been a matter of special investigation in this state, the subject is one of great interest. There are 9,000 defectives in the state institutions, their care and maintenance

costing over a million dollars a year. No man in the central states is better able to discuss this vasty important subject than Dr. Bliss. On Sunday evening, Jan. 21, Dr. J. A. Leonard, superintendent of the Ohio state reformatory at Mansfield, Ohio, will speak on "Why These Broken Vessels or What We Owe the Criminal." Dr. Leonard is a recognized authority on this subject and is a good talker. On the last Sunday night in this month Abraham Brown, emigration secretary of the Young Men's Christian association, of Chicago, will speak on "What We Owe the Emigrant."

TWELVE DEATHS OCCUR.

Nogales, Ariz., Jan. 12.—Twelve deaths have occurred among the troops of the Alabama national guard since their arrival here two months ago, according to an official statement made today by the military authorities. This statement followed the publication of

a letter written by J. G. Crane, of Nogales, to James M. Burke, of Visalia, Cal., in which it was said there had been an average of five deaths a day among the Alabama troops of pneumonia.

China yearly imports \$4,000,000 worth of various kinds of leather.

BOY WHO SAYS THAW WHIPPED HIM.



Frederick Gump, the 19-year-old boy of Long Beach, Cal., and Kansas City, Mo., the central figure in the new Harry Thaw sensation, Young Gump's charges that Thaw induced him to go to New York, took him to a hotel and whipped him, started the new search for the slayer of Stanford White, which ended with the discovery of Thaw's attempt at suicide in Philadelphia.

HORSES! HORSES! HORSES!

100 HEAD 100 HEAD

The Fort Wayne Horse and Mule Market will have its Opening Sale Saturday, January 13, 1917, and will continue every two weeks during the year on Saturdays. Any one wanting to dispose of horses will be charged \$1.00 to enter sale and \$2.00 more if sold. Will have horses and mares on hand at all times at private sale. All horses must be as represented or money refunded. Will have good buyers at all sales from the big markets.

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MAY OPEN FIGHT ON GOODRICH OIL BILL

But Caucus Sentiment is for Aiding All Measures for Economy.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 12.—While no attempt was made to take caucus action on Governor Goodrich's legislative program by democratic senators in conference at the Claypool hotel yesterday, it was indicated at the meeting that a few of his bills will be opposed unanimously by the democratic side of the state senate. This is particularly true of the Goodrich state oil inspection bill, which was introduced yesterday, and for which it is probable none of the democrats will vote. This bill would do away with a large force of deputies and mean a substantial saving.

The democratic senators expressed the opinion in conference that they will not vote against the Goodrich bills merely because they are Goodrich bills. Some of the bills, including the oil inspection measure, they designate as "political." The senators, so far as the caucus is concerned, will be left free to act for themselves. It is now indicated, although developments may arise which would change that policy. The statement of members from the democratic side was that they will not oppose any measure that is drafted in the interest of economy, and that they will co-operate with Governor Goodrich in any non-political way for establishing economy. They did not say why they believed the oil measure was not an economical measure.

Oil Bill Opposed.
The state oil inspection bill, it is certain, is not one of those which they desire to support at this time. It is now indicated that opposition will develop when the measure comes up. Democratic members of the senate offer the argument that the bill is in the interests of getting some sixty democratic deputy oil inspectors in various parts of the state out of a job, and for that reason they can not see their way clear to support it.

Senator J. R. Fleming, democratic caucus chairman, said last night that when Thomas R. Marshall was governor he permitted the republicans to hold the oil department for two years. He said that Governor Goodrich ought to extend the same courtesy to the democrats.

Senate committee Judiciary held a meeting yesterday afternoon to consider the bill presented by Senator Robinson, president pro tem, to abolish the oil inspection department. The committee discussed the bill informally and then side-stepped a decision on its merits by deciding to do nothing until it is printed.

Public Hearing Desired.
The democratic members want a public hearing on the bill. The oil inspection department is presided over by J. O. Behymer, of Tipton, a democrat. The sixty deputies are democrats. The democratic senators propose to fight to hold these jobs for the members of their party for two years. It was said after the caucus that the Goodrich program was discussed in a general way. So far as democratic leaders now know there will be no measures on which there will be caucus action, but the party will vote together on certain measures which they deem to be of a political character.

One of the democratic leaders said the members of his party are as anxious to make a record for economy as are the members of the republican side, and that they will not vote against economy bills when they are drawn purely in the interest of economy.

CHILDREN ASKED TO HONOR BUFFALO BILL

Movement for Monument to Col. Cody by Pupils is Launched.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 12.—School children of America, to whom Col. W. F. Cody (Buffalo Bill) was a hero and who he lived in turn, will contribute the money to erect a monument over his grave, on Lookout mountain. Admirers of the famed scout in Denver and in the east, have suggested that no more fitting tribute could be paid to the man who brought the last great west down to the present.

The plan provides that no child will be permitted to contribute more than five cents, thus placing it in the power of practically every youngster of school age to participate in the testimonial.

Practically the entire personnel of federal troops now on duty at Fort Logan, near here, will turn out to participate in the funeral on Sunday of Col. Cody, it was announced today. Adj. Gen. Harry P. Gamble accepted an invitation to have a detachment of the Colorado national guard in the cortege.

The Colorado legislature today passed a joint resolution originating in the senate, expressing the deep appreciation and respect felt for Col. Cody by the people of Colorado and opening the state capitol on Sunday forenoon for his body to lie in state.

The funeral services are to be conducted by the Elks, who will have charge of the body from the time it leaves the capitol until the services are concluded, but from that moment until it is laid in its rock hewn tomb at the summit of Lookout mountain next Decoration day, it will be in the custody of the Masonic order.

Monetary pallbearers named last night, with all of whom Col. Cody saw service, are Gens. George R. Randall, Frank D. Baldwin, John Pope and Col. D. Monahan. The Episcopal funeral service, the Grand Army service and the Elks' service will be read at the funeral. Only the Elks will escort the body to the receiving vault.

The mayors of Cody, Wyo., and North Platte, Neb., where Col. Cody lived for many years, and the governor of Wyoming were asked to attend the funeral.

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All Departments contribute to make this sale a sensation for saving on everything wearable and otherwise which a mercantile institution of this kind offers.

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Princess Slips—

Odds and ends of many different styles; beautifully trimmed with lace and embroidery—some lace and some with embroidery flounce: \$1.98 to \$5.00; all for.....\$1.00

Princess Slips—

Odds and ends, lace trimmed and embroidery; \$1 to \$2; all at....49c

Combination—

Drawer, Corset and Skirt; handsomely trimmed; \$2.50 to \$5.00, all for.....\$1.49
Another lot at.....69c

Gowns—

Odds and ends; beautifully lace trimmed; slip-over gowns; \$2.00 to \$5.00; all at.....\$1.00
Another lot, \$1.50 to \$1.75 at.....98c
High neck, long sleeve gowns, \$1.00, at.....50c

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Anticipate your white goods wants for months to come. Buy now and secure the very quality you would use at any time for any purpose.

\$1.50 Longcloth, 10 Yard Bolt

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25c Quality Nainsook

Continuing the splendid values from the white goods section, per yard

18c

35c Quality Voile

40-in. wide, one of the finest sale bargains at, per yard

19c

35c and 40c Fancy White Voiles

40 inches wide, splendid grades, on sale, per yard

25c

45c Quality Nainsook

Fine grade at a very timely saving, at per yard

29c

White Gabardine on Sale

36 inches wide; now is the time to get the special price; per yard

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WAX CONFRONTS RAE TANZER IN N. Y. COURT

Identified Girl in Oliver Osborne Damage Suit as His Companion.

New York, Jan. 12.—Charles H. Wax, who makes perfect harmony with James W. Osborne by singing in legal numbers that it was he, not James W. Osborne, who held hands with Rae Tanzer under the nom d'amour of "Oliver Osborne," made his long expected debut as a witness for the government at the yesterday afternoon session of the retrial for perjury of Franklin D. Safford.

Five minutes after "Oliver" had adorned the witness chair Special Prosecutor William Rand Jr., had Rae Tanzer brought into the courtroom. Although this gave her the first chance she had had of seeing "Oliver" since his arrival from Chicago, Dec. 6, she did not utter any exclamation of joy.

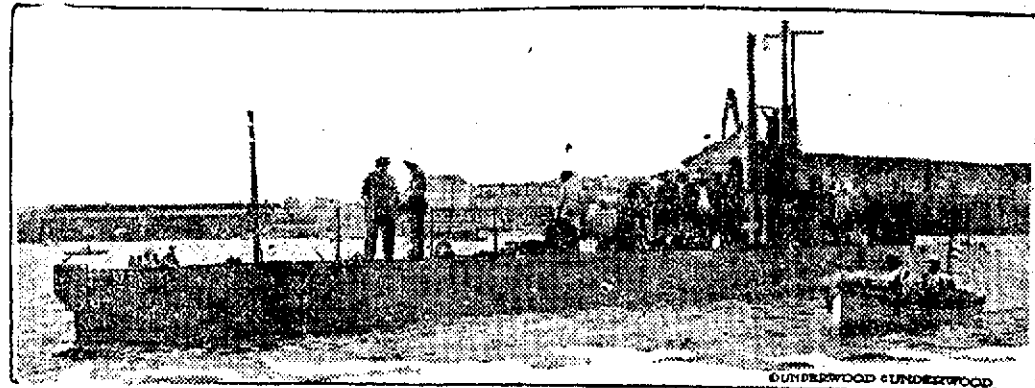
Five minutes after Miss Tanzer had perched her tiny self on a settee Mr. Rand asked Wax if he saw her in the room. Wax craned his neck, focused his eyes on her, and said he did.

her name, but she is Miss Tanzer's cousin. I am positive." Miss Tanzer was in court thirty minutes. She had heard Wax testify that he met Rae Tanzer in the early part of October, 1914, in the subway; that he went to her home on many occasions, that he took her to the Hotel Kensington, and that he wrote letters which he either mailed or handed to her. Miss Tanzer, by leaving court, missed

Wax's identification of the register of the Knickerbocker hotel, at Twenty-fifth street and Third avenue, and of an entry on it which he said he made when he and Miss Tanzer were guests there.

Argentina has nearly 8,000,000 inhabitants. This is nearly twice as many as in 1895. New Jersey factories employ 232,000 operatives.

UNITED STATES SUBMARINE AT HAVANA.



The United States submarine L-2 is here shown in the harbor at Havana, Cuba. When the submersible landed there, city officials of Havana went aboard to inspect it.

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Save your hair! Double its beauty
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Try as you will, after an application of Danderine, you can not find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most, will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

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INDIA NEVER BEFORE
WAS SO PROSPEROUS

Still Poor, by Western
Standards, But is Now
Advancing.

Simla, India, Dec. 10.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—Travelers in India today constantly hear business men make the statement that never has India been so prosperous. Sir William Meyer, minister of finance, says:

"Economically India is more prosperous than she ever was before. According to western ideas she is still a very poor country, but she is advancing, as I can testify after a service of thirty-five years here. There has been great development in India's agricultural and industrial enterprises, and the government has just recently taken another step in the appointment of a strong commission to consider the possibilities of further industrial development."

"Since 1900 the progress has been remarkable. Between 1900 and 1910 the number of cotton mills increased from 177 to 210 and the persons employed from 145,000 to 215,000. The production of yarn rose from 343,000,000 to 592,000,000 pounds, and of woven goods from 55,000,000 to 215,000,000 pounds. Jute mills increased in number from 36 to 60 and the persons employed from 110,000 to 204,000. Further, the percentage of manufactured goods imported into India as compared with the total imports has been steadily falling, while the percentage of manufactured goods among the exports has been simultaneously rising. Agriculture, of course, is the main industry of the country, and during the ten years under question the net area estimated to be under crops rose from 180,000,000 to 223,000,000 acres."

"We have suffered, naturally, in various directions from the war and at one time we were threatened with crises affecting the cultivators in respect of the jute and cotton industries. These have, however, been successfully surmounted and at present these industries are in prosperous condition, and the cotton crop in particular is getting very good prices for his product."

As to how the additional wealth which has accrued to India was distributed, Sir William said:

"A good deal of money is hoarded, since the traditions which grew up during many generations of insecure government are not easily shaken, but deposits in banks have increased considerably. There has been a very considerable increase in the standard of comfort of the people, and the rise in prices, which has occurred in India as well as in western countries, has materially benefited her agricultural and industrial population, though it has pressed hardly on members of the professional middle classes. There are also a certain number of capitalists—mill-owners, jute manufacturers and the like—who make in some years very large profits. The fact remains, however, that taking India as a whole, she is still very poor as compared with western standards."

THE HABIT OF TAKING COLD.

With many people taking cold is a habit, but fortunately one that is easily broken. Take a cold sponge bath every morning when you first get out of bed—on ice cold, but a temperature of about 90 degrees F. Also sleep with your window up. Do this and you will seldom take cold. When you do take cold take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and get rid of it as quickly as possible. Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

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DRINK WATER TO
AVOID SICKNESS
SAYS AUTHORITY

Glass of hot water before breakfast daily keeps the doctor away.

Sanitary science has of late made rapid strides with results that are of untold blessing to humanity. The latest application of its untiring research is the recommendation that it is as necessary to attend to internal sanitation of the drainage system of the human body as it is to the drains of the house.

Those of us who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when we arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should, each morning, before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins, thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the phosphate hot water is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, bilious spells, stomach trouble, rheumatic stiffness; others who have sallow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced rank on the subject of internal sanitation.—Advertisement.

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The Economical Man—The Man who knows the value of a dollar as well as the value of clothes is the man who is taking advantage of this big clothing sale, by stocking up for next Fall and Winter.

Reliable merchandise was never priced lower and will probably never be priced so low again. But 'money talks' and below we're letting the money savings do their own talking.

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Over 1,000 Men's and Young Men's Fancy Suits and Overcoats have been taken from our regular stock where the lots have been broken in sizes.

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Lot No. 1

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One lot Men's Shirts that
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== 79c ==

Boys' Russian and Sailor Blouse Suits—

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choice at

== \$3.95 ==

Lot No. 2

Suits and Overcoats that sold up to
and including \$18; your choice

== \$12.50 ==

One lot Men's Shirts, regular
large \$1.00 values

== 69c ==

One lot Boys' Knicker Suits,
up to \$10 values

== \$4.50 ==

Lot No. 3

Suits and Overcoats that sold up to
and including \$25; your choice

== \$16.50 ==

One lot Boys' Knicker Suits,
up to \$15 values

== \$7.50 ==

Boys' Russian Wash Suits that sold up

to and including \$3.00;

your choice

== 75c ==

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Fort Wayne Folk
in Our Exchanges

Decatur Democrat: Mr. and Mrs. Levi Gross returned today noon to Fort Wayne. They visited here with their daughter, Mrs. Rosella Smith.

Kendallville News-Sun: Mrs. Donald Detrou, of Fort Wayne, has been visiting with Mrs. Charles Helmuth for several years.

Percuton Record: Mrs. Everett Burnsworth went to Fort Wayne, on Friday, for a visit with her uncle, Jesse Hull.—Mrs. Nancy Richards went to Fort Wayne on Friday, for a visit with her son, Percy Hull.—Mrs. G. W. McDaniel went to Fort Wayne, on Wednesday, for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Kern.

Van Wert Bulletin: Mrs. J. P. McCleery, of Fort Wayne, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer I. Lorber, yesterday.

Columbia City Commercial-Mail: Lieut. Ray P. Harrison, accompanied his sister, Mrs. Ruth Burton, to Fort Wayne, Wednesday afternoon, for a visit with their cousin, Mrs. W. E. Davis, and in the evening Mr. Harrison will attend a charity ball given in the Anthony hotel.

Bluffton News: Jas. Ainsworth, of Fort Wayne, Ind., was at the Blackman sanitarium, yesterday.

Waterloo Press: Miss Bayon Chapman, of Fort Wayne, has been visiting her cousin, Miss Laura Chapman, this week.—Harry Loewenstein, of Fort Wayne, was in Waterloo last week looking after a car load of horses.

Antwerp Bee-Argus: Mrs. Lila Hill was among those that visited Fort Wayne from this place, Wednesday, where she spent the day with her daughter, Mrs. John Brown, and other relatives.

Bluffton Banner: Mr. Kelsey, of the Public Savings company, of Fort Wayne, was here yesterday settling the death claim of Mrs. John Coover. She had insurance of more than \$200 in two companies.

Portland Sun: Mr. and Mrs. Francis Doyle, of Fort Wayne, are in the city, called here by the death of the ladies' father, Harvey Swamer.

Huntington Herald: Homer Swihart and daughter, Mildred, of Fort Wayne, are visiting at the P. M. Starbuck home on Front street. Mrs. Lydia Hiatt, of Mt. Etna, will come to Huntington Wednesday to visit at the Swihart home until over Sunday.

ANDREWS NEWS.

Andrews, Ind., Jan. 12.—Henry Kantz has been visiting relatives in Kokomo.

Merrillville Sprowl has sold his blacksmith shop to Samuel Dressler. Mr. Sprowl will move to Huntington where he has employment.

Arthur Fultz was home from Ohio a few days.

Mrs. Dan Zintsmaster, of Marion, spent a few days at the home of her brother, Nathan W. Ehret.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Glaze spent a few days last week at the home of his mother in Francisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harnish entertained relatives from Toledo a few days last week.

Miss Clara Streiff was home from Coesse a few days last week.

C. E. Endicott, R. A. Woodcock and Karl Runyan left for Chicago Tuesday in the interest of the Wasmuth-Endicott company.

Mrs. Victor Rudie, of south of town,

spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. W. E. Sharp, here.

James Linn, of Wabash, was a visitor here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sharp, of North Manchester, spent last week at the Rollin Hollowell and W. E. Sharp homes here.

Samuel McDaniel has moved into the Hart property, east of town, from the S. E. Schofield farm, west of town. Mesdames Daniel Zintsmaster and Clinton Close, of Huntington, were Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Taylor.

Miss Ida Ellison has returned to Lionier after spending several days with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elden Pence, of Ash-ton, Idaho, are visiting his sister, Mrs. Lee Thompson, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Park spent Sunday with friends in Huntington.

Henry P. Berk will move his family into the Snowden property on McKee street.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Collier, of Marion, were Sunday visitors here.

C. Krieger will move his family into the Walters property on Main street recently vacated by Dr. Goodrich.

Mrs. D. A. Taylor is on the sick list. Miss Christie Fisher was in Huntington Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Warren spent Sunday at the Orville Hoch home, south of town.

Mrs. Walter Cogswell was a Huntington caller Tuesday afternoon.

Karl Shaw has been detained at his home by sickness a few days this week.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Most Effective.

"I have taken a great many bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and every time it has cured me. I have found it most effective for a hacking cough and for colds. After taking it a cough always disappears," writes J. R. Moore, Lost Valley, Ga. Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

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HOLLAND SEEMS TO
BE STEADILY SINKING

Geological Experts Are Beginning to View Case With Alarm.

The Hague, Netherlands, Dec. 25.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press).—It may not materially affect the present generation or the next, but if the land level of Holland continues to sink, there is danger of the subsidence becoming so great that, despite all the progress of engineering science, it will be impossible to much longer continue the present ceaseless struggle with the waters. That is the view expressed before the Geological Mining Society for Holland and its colonies by Professor Molengraaf, of the Polytechnic University of Delft, who is the foremost Dutch geological authority.

A large part of the Netherlands, particularly the western and northwestern provinces, lies some feet below the level of the sea, which is only kept from overflowing hundreds of square miles of land by the natural barrier of the long line of sand dunes that fringe the coast, reinforced at two or three points by artificial means.

The level of rivers and many of the canals in such regions are likewise higher than the surrounding country, being held in check by the dikes and embankments that are maintained at great pains and correspondingly high cost by the nation. Naturally, therefore, the question of the continued, if very gradual, fall of the land level bears an important aspect in the eyes of the Dutch people, and it has recently been the subject of discussion among expert geologists and hydrographical engineers.

"If," declares Professor Molengraaf, "the subsidence is of such a nature that within reasonable time a position of equilibrium comes about, then the cost of keeping the land drained will become so high that there will no longer be much advantage attached to its possession, albeit there are always historical and sentimental arguments for that. If, however, the total expenditure should exceed the total income, then the common sense of the Dutch people would lead them to withdraw to higher regions."

Opinions differ on the question of whether the ground is still sinking, and what influences are responsible for such a phenomenon. Some experts, like the civil engineer, D. H. S. Blaupot ten Cate, suppose that the fall is a consequence of what happened in the middle tertiary period. Mr. ten Cate's theory is that Holland is built up on alluvial mud flats, which still participate in various movements of the soil. Some authorities believe that a material subsidence is still taking place, while others, again, are of

the opinion that the phenomena observed are a consequence of certain movements of the sea level, whereby various influences of another nature play a role; that the sea level alters, but that the land itself does not sink.

Another civil engineer, J. C. Rammer, is convinced from the results of water gauge observations that there has been a subsidence of the land of Holland as well as of that of bordering countries and the greater part of the British Isles. He says it may be deduced from the entire list of such observations that there has been an average subsidence of 30 centimeters per century, declining farther inland to 15 centimeters. That a very considerable subsidence is taking place at the present time in the polders or drained basins of the Netherlands in his opinion is undeniable.

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Physicians say there are Five Million Men just like Burton.

Burton was Nervously Sick, at Work, at Home, at Recreation.

He couldn't sleep well—he had hideous, startling dreams when he did—he was gloomy and listless—absent-minded, cross, irritable—suffered with dizziness, trembling of the limbs, cold extremities, became awkward, self-conscious and possessed fear and a general inability to make good at his work or anywhere he went, on business or pleasure bent. Physically and Mentally, Burton was almost a nervous wreck; his muscles became flabby, he became weakened and devitalized, he lacked ambition and he was alarmed, because he had reached a stage where he thought there was no help, but as he writes: "upon a friend's advice I tried Cadomene Tablets."

CADOMENE TABLETS RESTORED STRENGTH!

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French Lynx, were \$19.75; now.....	\$10.00
Black Fox, were \$29.75; now.....	\$15.00
Black Fox, were \$45.00; now.....	\$22.50
Mink, were \$89.75; now.....	\$35.00
Jap Mink, were \$29.75; now.....	\$15.00
Marten, were \$50.00; now.....	\$25.00
Hudson Seal, were \$29.75; now.....	\$15.00
Hudson Seal, were \$35.00; now.....	\$18.25
Natural Mole, were \$50.00; now.....	\$25.00
Natural Mole, were \$39.75; now.....	\$23.75

FUR SETS

Grey Fox Set, were \$39.75; now.....	\$19.75
Kitt Fox Set, were \$59.75; now.....	\$29.75
Brown Fox Set, were \$125.00; now.....	\$62.50
Rose Fox Set, were \$169.75; now.....	\$85.00
Red Fox Set, were \$89.75; now.....	\$45.00
Kamchatcha Fox Set, were \$175.00; now.....	\$87.50
Fisher Set, were \$175.00; now.....	\$87.50
Chinola Set, were \$75.00; now.....	\$37.50
Kolinsky Set, were \$85.00; now.....	\$42.50
Flying Squirrel, were \$125.00; now.....	\$62.50

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Near Seal Coats, were \$139.50; now.....	\$69.75
Hudson Seal Coats, were \$150.00; now.....	\$75.00
Hudson Seal Coats, were \$200.00; now.....	\$100.00
Hudson Seal Coats, were \$225.00; now.....	\$112.50
Hudson Seal Coats, were \$275.00; now.....	\$137.50
Hudson Seal Coats, (trimmed), were \$250.00; now.....	\$125.00

FUR SCARFS

French Lynx, were \$12.50; now.....	\$6.25
Black Fox, were \$29.75; now.....	\$15.00
Black Fox, were \$39.75; now.....	\$19.75
Mink, were \$19.75; now.....	\$13.75
Jap Mink, were \$19.75; now.....	\$10.00
Red Fox, were \$15.00; now.....	\$7.50
Red Fox, were \$29.75; now.....	\$15.00
Hudson Seal, were \$50.00; now.....	\$25.00
Hudson Seal, were \$59.75; now.....	\$29.75
Natural Mole, were \$39.75; now.....	\$19.75
Natural Mole, were \$50.00; now.....	\$25.00



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SEE WINDOW DISPLAY OF FURS IN THIS SALE.

Another Case of Sheets Ready To Go On Sale at 89c

Fifty dozen more Sheets at 89c! These are the same, high standard as offered early in the sale; size 81x90, torn, and with neat attractive hems. They will not last long at the price.

\$6 Bedspread Sets at \$4.69

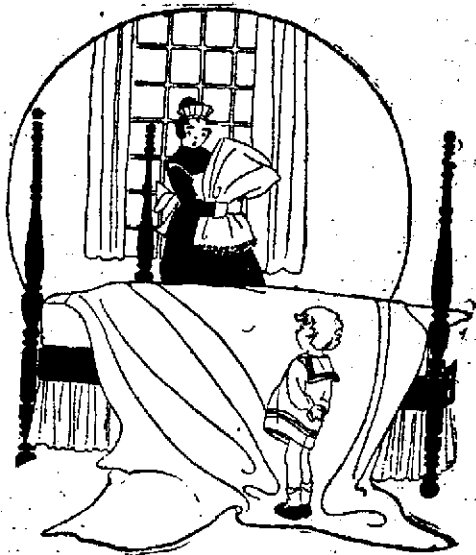
Satin Bed Spread Sets—Spread is size 90x100; cut corners and scalloped edge for full size bed; finished with deep overdrap.

HEMMED PILLOW CASES—In popular priced grades and sizes.

42x36 SIZE	45x36 SIZE
17c Value, each.....12 1/2c	18c Value, each.....13c
18c Value, each.....15c	20c Value, each.....16c
21c Value, each.....17c	23c Value, each.....18c

PILLOW TUBING—Medium weight, tubing; high grade quality; weight considered.

26-inch, 18c Value.....	13c yard
40-inch, 19c Value.....	14c yard
42-inch, 20c Value.....	16c yard
45-inch, 22c Value.....	17c yard
\$1.35-Hemmed Bed Spreads, size 78x88; each.....	89c
75c Fancy Pillow Cases, size 45x36; pair.....	65c
\$3.00 Embroidered Pillow Cases, all linen; pair.....	\$1.98



These Pretty Sateen Petticoats on Sale Today and Saturday at 89c

—They're made of good quality sateen, in fashionable shades of plum, bottle green, robin's egg blue, navy and black. The deep flounce is of figured sateen in harmonizing colors. Regular \$1.25 values; special for today and Saturday.....

Clearance of High Grade CORSETS

—Broken lines of corsets in various well known makes; regularly priced at \$1.75, \$2 and \$2.50; on sale today and Saturday.....

—Broken lines of our best makes of corsets, including Mme. Irene, Mme. Lyra, P. N., Wolf & Dessauer Special and other makes; regularly priced at \$5.00, \$6.50 and \$7.50; on special sale today and Saturday.....

Brasseries--

—Regular \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50 Brasseries; all lace over net and embroidery and lace trimmed models; today and Saturday.....



UNDERWEAR At Half Price

Women's Knit Garments in incomplete size ranges and broken lines—also a collection of slightly soiled garments at HALF PRICE. Also one lot of Women's Vests; regular 35c values, at 25c. All other knit goods at 10 Per Cent. Less.

Now Is The Time for Outing Flannel

Here are the kinds that are much liked for women's night gowns and petticoats, men's pajamas and all sorts of winter underwear. In light, dark and medium stripes and checks. By buying now, during this sale, women will save about one-third what this flannel will sell for next winter.

Outing Flannels—Light and dark ground—
Regular 8 1/2c grade.....7c
Regular 10c grade.....9c
Regular 15c grade.....11c
Light and Dark Flannellettes—
Regular 12 1/2c grade.....9c
Regular 15c grade.....10c

There Are So Many Big Opportunities On the Second Floor, We Cannot Attempt to Feature Them!

Women's Coats \$5.00

Values up to \$10.00.

Women's Coats \$7.50

Values up to \$12.50.

Women's Coats \$9.95

Values up to \$15.00.

Vel. & Corduroy Coats \$13.95

Values up to \$25.00.

Plush Coats \$19.50

Values up to \$30.00.

Women's Suits \$6.50

(Small Sizes Only.)

Serge Dresses \$6.75

Values up to \$15.00.

Cloth and Silk Dresses \$12.50

Values up to \$25.00.

Evening Dresses \$10

Values up to \$25.00.

Silk Dresses \$15

Values up to \$30.00.

Muslin Undergarments at 89c

One of the most notable features of the Great January White Sale—more and better and prettier garments than have been sold at these prices in many years.

New Envelope Chemise at 89c

Up-to-date models, and effectively trimmed with embroidery and lace. Included are envelopes, also hand embroidered chemises adorned with lace insert, at \$1.00.



Flare Flounce Petticoats 89c

Fluffy, full-flaring and with deep flounce having embroidery trimming all around, at 89c.

Night Dresses Slip-on and High Neck Styles 89c

These elaborately trimmed with organdy embroidery and lace; many in empire style, front and back trimmed.

Sewing Machines

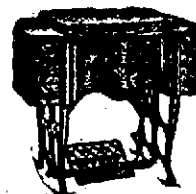
You cannot do good work on a poor Sewing Machine. Let us sell you a perfect-stitching, completely ball-bearing machine. A call at our Sewing Machine Department will convince you that we can suit you both in price and style.

We will buy your old machine on the Cabinet Free.

Some special bargains in floor samples.

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Housekeepers Stock Up On Kitchen Supplies During This Sale



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All dinner ware patterns, excepting Haviland and Coalport ware—at 10 Per Cent. Less.

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THE ALLIES' NOTE



Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Following is the translation of the entente allies' reply to President Wilson's peace note, transmitted to the state department by Ambassador William G. Sharp in Paris:

"Ambassador Sharp to the Secretary of State, American Embassy, Paris, Jan. 10, 1917.

"The allied governments have received the note which was delivered to them in the name of the government of the United States on the 15th of December, 1916. They have studied it with the care imposed upon them both by the exact realization which they have of the gravity of the hour and by the sincere friendship which attaches them to the American people.

For Insurance of Peace.
"In a general way they wish to declare that they pay tribute to the elevation of the sentiment with which the American note is inspired and that they associate themselves with all their hopes with the project for the creation of a league of nations to insure peace and justice throughout the world.

"They recognize all the advantages for the cause of humanity and civilization which the institution of international agreements destined to avoid violent conflicts between nations would prevent; agreements which must imply the sanctions necessary to insure their execution and thus to prevent an apparent security from only facilitating new aggressions.

Blame Central Powers.
"But a discussion of future arrangements destined to insure an enduring peace presupposes a satisfactory settlement of the actual conflict. The allies have as profound a desire as the government of the United States to terminate as soon as possible a war for which the central empires are responsible and which inflicts such cruel sufferings upon humanity, but they believe that it is impossible at the present moment to attain a peace which will assure them reparation, restitution, and such guarantees to which they are entitled by the aggression for which the responsibility rests with the central powers and of which the principle itself tended to ruin the security of Europe; a peace which would, on the other hand, permit the establishment of the future of European nations on a solid basis.

Fighting for Humanity.
"The allied nations are conscious that they are not fighting for selfish interests, but above all to safeguard the independence of peoples, of right and of humanity.

"The allies are fully aware of the losses and suffering which the war causes to neutrals as well as to belligerents, and they deplore them; but they do not hold themselves responsible for them, having in no way either willed or provoked this war, and they strive to reduce these dam-

ages in the measure compatible with the inescapable exigencies of their defense against the violence and the will of the enemy.

Understand United States Position.
"It is with satisfaction, therefore, that they take note of the declaration that the American communication is in nowise associated in its origin with that of the central powers transmitted on the 18th of December by the government of the United States. They did not doubt, moreover, the resolution of that government to avoid even the appearance of a support, even moral, of the authors responsible for the war.

"The allied governments believe that they must protest in the most friendly, but in the most specific manner against the assimilation established in the American note between the two groups of belligerents; this assimilation, based upon public declarations by the central powers, is in direct opposition to the evidence, both as regards responsibility for the past and as concerns guarantees for the future. President Wilson in mentioning it certainly had no intention of associating himself with it.

Ours of War on Germany.
"If there is an historical fact established at the present date, it is the willful aggression of Germany and Austria-Hungary to insure their hegemony over Europe and their economic domination over the world. "Germany proved by her declaration of war, by the immediate violation of Belgium and Luxembourg, and by her manner of conducting the war, her simulating contempt for all principles of humanity and all respect for small states; as the conflict developed the attitude of the central powers and their allies has been a continual defiance of humanity and civilization.

Is it necessary to recall the horrors which accompanied the invasion of Belgium, and of Serbia, the atrocious regime imposed upon the invaded countries, the massacre of hundreds of thousands of inoffensive Armenians, the barbarities perpetrated against the populations of Syria, the raids of Zeppelins on open towns, the destruction by submarines of passenger steamers and of merchantmen even under neutral flags, the cruel treatment inflicted upon prisoners of war, the judicial murders of Miss Cavell, of Captain Fryatt, the deportation and reduction to slavery of civil populations, etc.

"The execution of such a series of crimes perpetrated without any regard for universal reprobation fully explains to President Wilson the protest of the allies.

Repeat Reply to Berlin.
"They consider that the note which they sent to the United States in reply to the German note will be a response to the questions put by the American

government and according to the exact words of the latter, constitute a 'public declaration as to the conditions upon which the war could be terminated.'

"President Wilson desires more: He desires that the belligerent power openly affirm the objects which they seek by continuing the war; the allies experience no difficulty in replying to this request.

"Their objects in the war are well known; they have been formulated on many occasions by the chiefs of their divers governments. Their objects in the war will not be made known in detail, with all the equitable compensations and indemnities for damages suffered, until the hour of negotiations.

End of War Means —

"But the civilized world knows that they imply in all necessity and in the first instance the restoration of Belgium, of Serbia, and of Montenegro and the indemnities which are due them; the evacuation of the invaded territories of France, of Russia, and of Rumania, with just reparation; the reorganization of Europe guaranteed by a stable regime and founded as much upon respect of nationalities and full security and liberty of economic development which all nations, great or small, possess as upon territorial conventions and international agreements suitable to guarantee territorial and maritime frontiers against unjustified attacks; the restitution of provinces or territories wrested in the past from the allies by force or against the will of their populations; the liberation of Italians, of Slaves, of Rumanians, and of Czechs Slovaks (Czech Slavs) from foreign domination; the enfranchisement of populations subject to the bloody tyranny of the Turks; the expulsion from Europe of the Ottoman empire decidedly *** (apparent omission) to western civilization.

Goal Is Peace for World.
"The intentions of his majesty the emperor of Russia regarding Poland have been clearly indicated in the proclamation which he has just addressed to his armies.

"It goes without saying that if the allies wish to liberate Europe from the brutal covetousness of Prussian militarism it never has been their design, as has been alleged, to encompass the extermination of the German peoples and their political disappearance.

"That which they desire above all is to insure a peace upon the principles of liberty and justice, upon the inviolable fidelity to international obligation with which the government of the United States has never ceased to be inspired.

"United in the pursuit of this supreme object, the allies are determined, individually and collectively, to act with all their power and to consent to all sacrifices to bring to a victorious

close a conflict upon which they are convinced not only their own safety and prosperity depends but also the future of civilization itself.

"SHARP."

FORTMEYER IS FIRST.

Allen County Boy Wins Prize in State Corn Show Boys' Contest.

Paul Fortmeyer, of Fort Wayne, is the champion boy corn grower of the state, he having won the honor at the state corn show at Purdue university in connection with the farmers' short course. Fortmeyer took the prizes by over ten points also in section one, which includes the counties north of Allen and west to the state line. He will be given a free trip to Washington. He is a student at the Fort Wayne high school and took the championship

in the boys' contest at the Allen county corn show.

Rorick brothers, of this county, won tenth place in section one of the men's contest at the state corn show.

QUEST CLUB TO MEET.

Chicago Man Will Address It at the Wayne Hotel Friday Night.

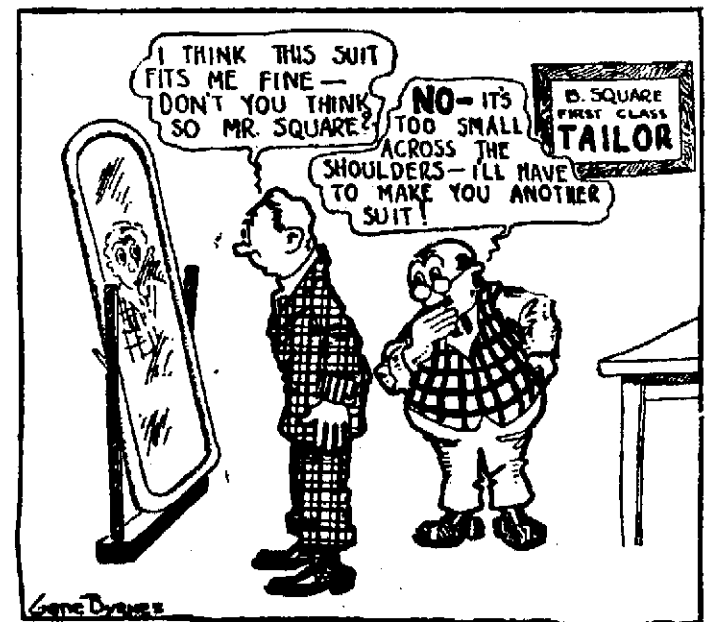
"The Human Side of the Pay Roll" will be the subject of F. A. Carlisle, of the Freidlander-Brady Knitting Mills, Chicago, who will speak at a meeting of the Quest club to be held at the Wayne hotel Friday night. Mr. Carlisle has been a member of the Western Efficiency society since it was organized and for many years has been on the editorial board of One Hundred Per Cent, the magazine of management circulating among factory executives. The talk will be followed by a discussion.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The stockholders of the Teutonia Building Loan and Savings Association will meet on Tuesday, Jan. 16th, 1917, at 8 p. m. in the court house assembly room.

PAUL RICHTER, President.
CARL J. WEBER, Secretary.
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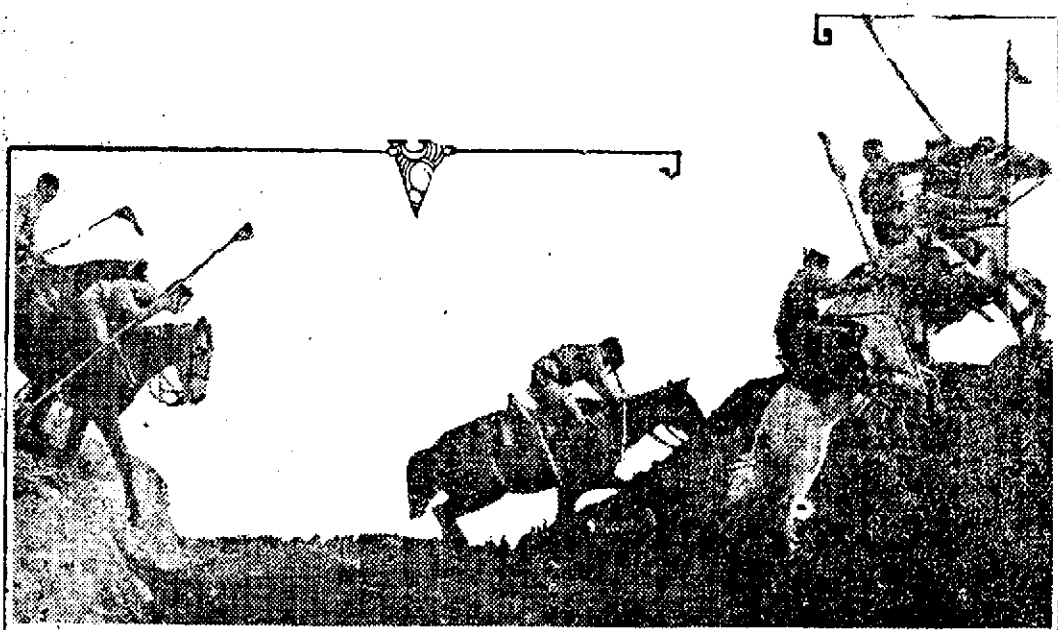
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PORTUGUESE SOLDIERS IN ACTIVE PART IN THE WORLD WAR.



Soldiers of Portugal have just become active, aiding the allies on the western front in France—the first participation of Portugal in the world war in Europe. The picture shows Portuguese soldiers in action.

SAYS WIFE WAS AWAY
AT ALMOST ALL HOURS**Joe Smith Asks Divorce
After Being Separated
Since February, 1911.**

Joe Smith has filed suit for a divorce from Nora Smith. The couple was married in January of 1908, and separated Feb. 15, 1911. Description is alleged. Smith says his wife was away from home at all hours of the night and that she would frequent cafes with men of questionable character, coming home, at times, drunk according to the complaint. Ryan, Ryan & Aldrich are attorneys for the plaintiff.

EMPLOYMENT BUREAU REPORT.
Forty-eight Males Sought Work and Found Places. Report Shows.

Report of the Fort Wayne branch of the state free employment bureau for the week ending January 11 shows that 48 males sought work and that all were placed in positions. A total of 50 persons sought male help of the bureau. The applicants were placed in positions as follows: Laborers, 38; teamsters, 4; butchers, 1; clerks, 1; firemen, 2; foremen, 1; porters, 1. A total of 23 persons sought female help. The women were placed in work as follows: Dishwashers, 5; waitresses, 3; day workers, 2; general housework, 2; housekeepers, 2; laundresses, 2, and stenographers, 2.

DAMAGE SUIT MONDAY.**Suit for \$1,500 of William Dohage
Against S. Sandkuhler Coming Up.**

Suit for \$1,500 damages of William Dohage against Sam Sandkuhler, alleging the defendant committed an assault on him July 1 last, is scheduled to come up for hearing before a jury in superior court Monday. Dohage, 60, and alleging he is a cripple, says he sustained broken ribs and that his hearing was impaired when the defendant struck him on the head in ejecting him from his saloon at 235 East Main street.

Failure to Provide Alleged.

Princess Snyder has filed suit for a divorce in superior court from David Snyder. The couple was married March 31, 1912 and separated in January, 1917. The plaintiff charges that the defendant cursed her, accused her of associating with other men and failed to provide, it being necessary that she buy her own clothes and household goods. The plaintiff says Snyder told her that he did not love her and that he was ashamed to be in public with her. The defendant is charged with keeping late hours leaving the plaintiff to care for their two children. S. A. Calkhan is attorney for the plaintiff.

Verdict for \$250.
A jury in circuit court gave Lucetta Lophshire a verdict for \$250 in her suit for \$500 damages against James R. Sturgeon, a farmer, who, the plaintiff alleged, crashed into her beauty parlor in the course of a runaway accident, Lophshire being the driver of a slop wagon.

Could Get Plenty Women.
Pearl Danchy, in her suit for divorce against George Danchy, a bootmaker at the Pennsylvania company, says her husband boasted of his ability to get plenty of women. The plaintiff sued for divorce last October but Danchy, she asserts, urged her to drop the action. Howard Hawthorn is attorney for the plaintiff.

Notes of Courts.
Mary White, who filed suit for \$5,000 damages against Alvin Lahrman in superior court, alleging an injury in an auto accident on March 4, has been given judgment for \$600.

The county commissioners have awarded the contract for 600 bushels of potatoes at \$1.87 1/2 a bushel to the Ackerman-Wiener company.

Martha Smith has filed a final report in circuit court as administratrix of the estate of William A. Smith. W. N. Ballou is attorney for the plaintiff.

The Wolf Furnace company has filed suit in circuit court against Mary Maloley to foreclose a mechanic's lien. F. H. Kleemann is attorney for the plaintiff.

Lillian E. Tuchman has filed a petition in circuit court asking that a guardian be appointed for William A. Hamilton, because of infirmities. Edward M. Puls has filed suit against Carl F. Schory and Nettie Schory to collect \$350 on note. Heaton & Heaton are attorneys for the plaintiff.

The suit of Elvin Hiron, by John B. Hiron, next friend, against Emory Brindle, for damages, has been dismissed in superior court.

Marriage Licenses.
Homer Beherstein, 27, assembler, and Mary T. Miller, 22.

Dan Godau, 25, laborer, and Anna Hahman, 18.

Robert B. Johnson, 19, laborer, and Edith B. Webb, 19.

ALLARD IS IMPROVING.

Man Who Was Struck on Head by Brick Is Doing Nicely.

James Allard, the employee of the Consumers Ice company who suffered a fractured skull when he was struck on the head by a brick which fell 49 feet, is showing signs of improvement at the Lutheran hospital, where he has been a patient since Tuesday afternoon. It is believed that his condition is such that it is safe to say that he will recover unless complications arise.

SOPHOMORES WIN.

Classmen Cop Good Game from Society Quintet.

The sophomore class basketball five of the Fort Wayne high school won a good game from the society quintet Thursday night by a score of 29 to 17. The sophs are going to make an attempt to play the preliminary to the next varsity game played here.

INJUNCTION MAY STOP
VACATING OF STREET**"Hole-in-the-Wall" Houses
Must Not Be Transferred,
Say Remonstrators.**

Will the city vacate the dead end of Weisser Park avenue, north of Wallace street, in order that the Bass Foundry company may build a new plant on the present street site?

Will the foundry company then move three dwelling houses of ancient design from the "Hole in the Wall" district, which faces the street to be vacated, from their present location to lots near the intersection of Buchanan street and Weisser Park avenue?

Bass foundry management says "yes." Sixty residents of the Buchanan-Weisser Park avenue neighborhood clamor "no."

Twenty-five of the remonstrators, who claim that the houses which the Bass company proposes to set in their midst are "shacks" and would be tenanted by undesirable foreigners, appeared before the board of works Thursday night. Women and men were in the indignant company, which filled the board of works office in the city hall. They expressed their opinion of the "disgrace to their community" and the "rank outrage."

The outburst upon the works board was the culmination of a series of indignation meetings in the Buchanan-Weisser Park avenue neighborhood. Several severe epithets were applied to the Bass foundry plan of transferring the old houses. Robert Kelley, chairman of the works board, wrapped for order time and again.

Councilman Speaks.

Councilman Herman Korte, of the Tenth ward, and ex-Councilman Henry Felger presented a plan for having the city demand that the Bass foundry management donate the three lots near Buchanan street and Weisser Park avenue for playground use. There are more than a hundred children in the neighborhood who have no open place in which to play, it was pointed out.

"There is a chance to do the city some good rather than to give Fort Wayne another sore eye," it was said.

The Bass foundry will receive 1,800 square feet of ground, if the dead end of Weisser Park avenue is vacated, it was pointed out to the board. The Bass company can well afford to give the city in return a small plot for a playground, a speaker said.

If the Bass company does not drop their plan of moving the old style dwellings to the new neighborhood the property owners in the region of Buchanan-Weisser Park avenue will enroll the board of works against allowing the north end of Weisser Park avenue to be vacated, they told the board. In that case it is expected that the board will not give up the street site.

Final hearing on the petition for vacating of the Weisser Park avenue, north of Wallace street, is set for February 8. At that time the property owners, who object to such action, may come before the board for formal protest.

Upon the outcome of an attempt to reconcile the two factions will depend whether the Tenth ward folk return to voice their dissension.

Bass Visits Board.

John H. Bass, accompanied by his secretary, called upon city officials Friday morning. Bass stated emphatically that he would not consent to wrecking of the dwelling houses and giving up of the residence plot for playground use. He is entitled to use of the property as he sees fit, he said, and it would be an economic waste to the city to destroy the good dwellings and allow the building site near Buchanan-Weisser Park avenue to remain vacant.

City Building Inspector Philip Wyss was called into the conference. He pointed out to Bass that expense of moving the structures would amount to more than the buildings are worth. Fact that there would have to be cellars dug, foundations laid, plumbing installed and porches built on the houses, if they were moved, would make it impractical Wyss told Bass. Wyss has not yet granted that the buildings be moved.

Bass asked that members of the works board and Mayor Hoesy accompany him over the ground in question and allow him to explain exactly what he intended to do with the houses, from the "Hole in the Wall" district.

Members of the board and the mayor, arranged to meet Bass at 2 o'clock at the foundry buildings. They will go over the ground with him while he outlines his proposed plan of transferring the houses.

Opened Streets.
Other business passed by the board of works at the Thursday night session, included vacating of land and opening of streets, in the Elmwood addition, so that streets might be made uniform along Rudolph boulevard. Streets which are to be opened, fifty feet wide, up to the boulevard, are Hifton, Reed, Winter, Anthony boulevard.

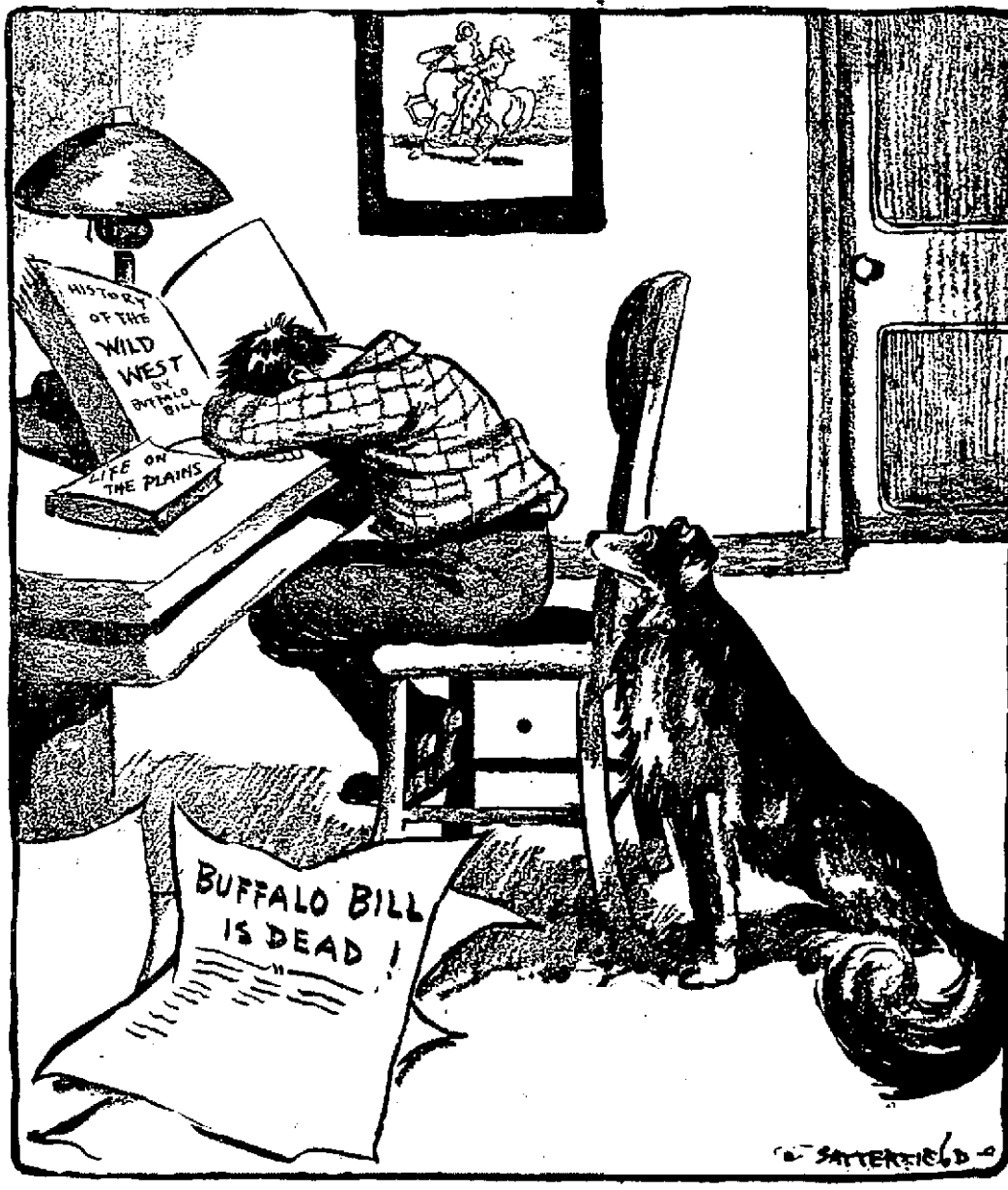
The board approved primary assessment rolls for the construction of a concrete retaining wall along St. Joe boulevard and the paving of the same thoroughfare.

The board confirmed a plat for the new Enterprise No. 2 addition, near Piqua avenue.

Would Buy Scales.
The board of public safety, which meets Friday night, will be petitioned by Barry Toland, city sealer, to purchase a set of scales for the market at once. Fact that the price of scales will advance \$10 in price in a few days, is the reason for Toland's desire that a rush order be sent.

Water Better.
Every sample of city water analyzed by State Chemist Diggs since his stay in Fort Wayne, shows the fluid to be free from impurities. Samples gathered on Wednesday show marked

IN MANY AMERICAN HOMES!



Improvement over those gathered from water mains on Tuesday.

Diggs is not yet prepared to give out where he thinks is the source of pollution of the city water, he says. He hopes to fix the point where he thinks pollution started and how he believes that the condition can be remedied before he leaves the city on Saturday.

Added air of mystery enters the situation because Diggs found the water clearing up when he came to Fort Wayne. It is the most baffling case that has yet confronted the state chemist, he says.

BIRTH RECORD.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kimalar, 127 East Perry street—a boy.
To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Myers, 1031 Kiana street—a boy.

LONG WRANGLE OVER
QUESTIONS OF LAW**Little Headway Made in
Hearing on Charges
Against Lee.**

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 12.—The hearing of the charges against Edwin M. Lee, of the public utilities commission, preferred by Bernard O'Connor, an Indianapolis democrat, was begun before Governor Goodrich in his office today. Practically all of the morning session was taken up with discussion of questions of law.

The scope of the hearing or how long it will last has not been determined. Lee was appointed to the commission by Gov. Ralston, shortly before he retired from office. O'Connor charges that Lee's appointment is not in accordance with the law, which provides that not more than three members of the commission shall be ex. one political party and that Lee is "incompetent" under the meaning of the utilities statute. Lee is former progressive state chairman.

Bertha Greenberg, a stenographer formerly employed at the democratic state headquarters, testified that about a thousand letters signed by Lee, the technical chairman of the progressive party remnant in Indiana, were sealed, stamped and mailed by employees of the democratic state committee at the state headquarters about two weeks prior to the election.

After Miss Greenberg's testimony adjournment was taken to this afternoon.

POLICE PATROL MADE
3585 RUNS LAST YEAR

Ten times a day the big police patrol left its home in the city hall to wander out over the city during 1916, average for 365 days from the year's record shows. In 1916 the wagon answered 3,585 calls. It traveled about 6,051 miles, the record made out by Clerk O'Connor shows.

The auto made 1,708 trips to the county jail during the year. It answered 666 box calls and 1,602 telephone alarms. It made 73 fire runs. Fifty-four times the wagon was called out to hunt burglars. During the month of May there were 22 burglar calls. The auto made 230 ambulance runs.

SHANK LEADS RAID
ON COLUMBIA CLUB**Candidate for Mayor in a
Search for Booze at G. O.
P. Organization.**

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 12.—Armed with a search warrant signed by Lew Shank, former mayor of Indianapolis, and announced candidate for the same office again, police today invaded the Columbia club, one of the most exclusive men's clubs in the state, in search of liquor. Shank accompanied the raiding party and grabbed a bottle of liquor off a table.

Two patrol wagons were backed up in front of the club and an additional squad of police sent for. After considerable talk the police took small samples of various liquors found at the club, but did not disturb the stock further. An officer was left on guard and Charles R. Rouser, manager of the club, was placed under arrest under a charge of operating a blind tiger. Shank announced he would get search warrants for other exclusive clubs in the city.

ADDITIONAL CHURCHES

**YOUNG LADIES' SOCIETY
Of Emmaus Lutheran Church Elects
New Officers.**

The Emmaus Young Ladies' society met Wednesday evening in the regular monthly business session and elected officers for the coming year. The newly elected officers are as follows: Frieda Glesman, president; Clara Branning, vice president; Hanna Busch, recording secretary; Anna Lusenhop, financial secretary; Ida Dickmeyer, treasurer.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Emmaus church elected new officers at a recent meeting as follows: Mrs. W. Boser, president; Mrs. F. E. Spiegel, vice president; Mrs. F. Kreiselmeier, secretary; Mrs. Chris Daseier, financial secretary; Mrs. E. Koehn, treasurer. The following committees were appointed: Entertainment, Mesdames William M. Lapp, Henry Roessner, I. Wietfeld, M. Lapp; sewing, Mesdames M. Grotman, August Jaeger, W. Reinling, William Scheele. Mesdames William Valkenberg, August Schott, H. Krimmel, M. Hobrock, M. Bender and M. Rump were appointed collectors.

The board of directors of Emmaus Young Men's society meets Monday evening, January 15.

Observes Anniversary.

The Tabernacle church of the Emanuel Lutheran church gave its annual banquet, Thursday afternoon, which was attended by ninety-five ladies. Rev. William Moll, pastor of the church, presided and gave a short talk.

MUST RESPECT UNIFORM.

New York, Jan. 12.—Respect must be accorded the uniform of the American sailor equal to that given to the civilian's clothes, the Brooklyn court of special session held today in deciding that Henry Traub, lessee of a Brooklyn theater, had no right to exclude Adolph Gottman, a sailor on the battleship Arkansas. Traub was fined \$250. Thomas F. Cuff, United States district attorney, prosecuted Traub at the request of the navy authorities.

FED DEAD HORSES
TO PIGS, IS CHARGE**Health Officer Will Bring
Bones Into Court as
Evidence.**

Health Officer Charles Josse filed affidavits, Friday, against two farmers, charging them with feeding carcasses of dead horses to their pigs. The men will be brought into police court on Monday, it is expected.

Noah Murphy and John Prover, whose farms join and who live four miles from Fort Wayne on the Hicksville road, are the farmers against whom the charges are made. Carcasses of ten horses were found in Murphy's hog lot, Josse says. Pigs were eating at remains of two dead animals in the barn yard of Prover, Josse reports.

Josse gathered bones from the dead horses for evidence. Ribs, to which meat is clinging, and other bones, which Josse declares to be from the horse carcasses, will be presented in police court as evidence.

Josse visited the farms on Thursday afternoon in answer to complaints, which have been made against the two men, he says. The farmers declare that they did not kill the horses, Josse states. Fine for the first offense of this nature is from \$10 to \$30.

NEARLY \$30,000 PAID
OUT BY E. M. B. A.**Organization Has Been Run-
ning Successfully for
Over Nine Years.**

When the reports of the Employees' Mutual Benefit association of the Fort Wayne and Northern Indiana Traction company were made out this week they showed that in the time which the organization has been running, a little over nine years, \$29,110 have been paid out. Itemized, the list is as follows: Accidents, \$11,493; sick, \$18,571; and deaths, \$7,060.

The reports show that ninety-six per cent. of the employees of the company who are eligible to membership, belong to the association. There are 800 names on the list of the organization.

The E. M. B. A. was organized by the company in October, 1906, and since that time it has grown until it takes in nearly every employee of the company. It has been successfully operated by men elected by the employees and at the present time has a surplus of \$14,238.

DID NOT SPILL MILK.

In order to avert a collision with a loaded milk wagon, C. H. Bicknese, driver for the Becker Motor company, drove a new car against the curb on South Hanna street, Friday, at noon. One rear wheel on the auto was shattered and side of the car damaged. The milk wagon, belonging to the Fort Wayne Dairy company and which Bicknese reports was turning around in the street, was not struck.

THE DEATHS.
FORMER NAPPANEE
WOMAN PASSES AWAY**Mrs. Elmira Schnitz, 62,
Dies at Her Home on
Dawson street.**

Mrs. Elmira Schnitz, aged 62 years, died at 3 o'clock Friday morning at her residence, 415 Dawson street, following an illness due to complication of diseases. She was born in Ohio in 1854 and had resided in Fort Wayne several years, coming to this city from Nappanee. She was a member of the Evangelical church at Nappanee and survived by one son, Floyd V. of this city; one sister and five brothers.

URBINE.

Bridget Urbine, aged 70 years, died Thursday at her home, Archer and Oakland streets. She had been ill for several years. The deceased was born in France but had resided here for many years. She was a member of St. Vincent's Catholic church. Surviving she leaves a sister, Mary Urbine.

Funeral services Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from St. Schone & Ankenbruck's parlors and at 10 o'clock at St. Vincent's Catholic church; interment at the church cemetery.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

Buckland—Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Buckland will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Simpson M. E. church; interment at Lindenwood. The ladies of Strik circle, G. A. R., will hold flag services at the church at 1:30 o'clock.

Mulhaly—Funeral services for John Mulhaly will be held Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock at the Getz & Cahill parlors and at 9 o'clock at St. Patrick's Catholic church; interment at the Catholic cemetery.

Stauffer—Funeral services for Alvin Stauffer will be held Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the residence in Abbot township and at 10 o'clock at the Friendship church. Auto funeral.

Stahler—Funeral services for George Stahler will be held Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock at the residence, 227 East Butler street, and at 9 o'clock at St. Peter's Catholic church; interment at the Catholic cemetery.

GALATZ THREATENED
BY TEUTONIC HOSTS**Russians Driven Further
Back by New Drive by
Von Mackensen.**

Berlin, Jan. 12.—The Rumanian town of Laburtea was captured yesterday by the invading Teutonic troops, the war office announces. The Russians were driven back toward the Sereth, between Braila and Galatz.

Heavy fighting, which increased in violence yesterday, is in progress on the northern end of the Russian front, both along the Dvina and south of Dvinsk. The Russians attacked along the Vilna Dvinsk railroad, but were repulsed with heavy losses, says today's headquarters' statement, regarding the Russian front operations.

Two attacks were made by British troops early this morning on the French front, north of the Ancre river. North of Beaucourt the British gained initial success, the war office announces, but were driven back with heavy losses by a counter attack. A thrust near Serre broke down under the German fire.

The statement regarding the Franco-Belgian operation read: "Western front—Army group of Crown Prince Rupprecht: Our position near Armentieres and Lens and on both sides of the Albert-Papaume road were shelled by hostile artillery to which bombardment we replied very vigorously."

"North of the Ancre the British in the early morning hours twice attacked in vain. North of Beaucourt, after they had won initial success, they were driven back into their original positions with heavy losses."

"Army group of the German crown prince: West of the Meuse and on the Cotes Lorraine and in the Vosges, artillery and mine fighting was revived at some points."

WILL BOOST CUTSHALL.

A preliminary organization meeting was held Thursday evening in the interest of W. Sherman Cutshall for mayor at which arrangements were made for a permanent organization to be known as "Cutshall for Mayor Boosters Organization." Meetings will be held at frequent intervals in the near future which will be announced later through the papers.

LEAVES THE HOSPITAL.

Rev. Gottlieb Reiser, aged 75 years, a retired minister of the Reformed church, residing at Decatur, Ind., left the Lutheran hospital, Friday. He underwent an operation four weeks ago. He is greatly improved.

Miss Georgia Lauer, who is employed at the First National bank, and is at the Kneipp sanitarium, Rome City, for the benefit of her health, is improving.

WHAT'S AN AMATEUR?
PUZZLES GOLF FIENDS**U. S. Golf Association Ses-
sion is Expected to De-
fine Him.**

New York, Jan. 12.—The definition of an amateur is the most important business before the annual meeting of the United States Golf association which will open here tonight. The disqualification of Francis Ouimet, Paul Tewksbury, John H. Sullivan, Jr., and other prominent players on the ground that they capitalized their reputations for financial gain has aroused a strong protest which will be put to test by the vote on amendments to the amateur rule.

Announcement on the eve of the annual meeting that the executive committee had adopted a rule putting the ban of professionalism on golf architects is the latest factor in the situation. It was pointed out today that this rule would bar from amateur competition Walter J. Travis, former amateur and British champion and several other well known players. Travis has laid out many of the foremost courses in the country and at present is engaged in the construction of half a dozen courses in the neighborhood of New York.

Advocates of a rigid amateur rule declare that this new amendment cuts the ground from under the feet of the woodland golf club in its defense of Ouimet, Tewksbury and Sullivan. The Woodland officials based their protest largely on the contention that the rule barring Ouimet was discriminatory, and aimed directly at the famous Massachusetts player while it let others of equal prominence escape the same consequences. As the contest stands at present the balance of power may rest with the western delegates. The Massachusetts association has already voted strongly for the reinstatement of Ouimet and a change in the rule while a majority of delegates from the Metropolitan district support the action of the executive committee. The Woodland Golf club officials and their sympathizers have drafted a new rule which would permit an amateur to lay out golf courses and perform other golfing services for pay provided when he does not use, advertise or exploit his golf reputation contrary to the true spirit of amateurism. The rule they propose says: "The spirit of amateurism is the playing of a game for the sport and not for financial gain."

**RUSE SMACKS OF
OLD PIRATE YARNS**
Ingenious Belgians Manage
to Get Safely Out of
Belgium.

Maasbricht, Netherlands, Dec. 25.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—An ingenious ruse, smacking of pirate yarns, has just enabled forty Belgians to get safely out of Belgium. A tugboat lay on the river Meuse at Haccourt early one morning, guarded by three German soldiers. One or two Belgians casually approached and entered into conversation with the sentries, the sequel to a friendly chat being an invitation to have a drink at the nearest hostelry. Here a sleeping potion was adroitly introduced in the unsuspecting Germans' glasses, and a few minutes later the sentries were carried aboard the boat in a helpless condition.

Three Belgians quickly donned their uniforms, the rest of the fugitive party had already taken up their quarters below, and the tugboat was soon steaming Holland-wards, the German war flag flying bravely at the masthead. Arrived at the lock, orders were imperiously shouted and once safely on the other side the little boat sped down stream at full speed, snapping the wire that stretched across the boundary and being soon afterwards run ashore on Dutch territory.

With borrowed plumes restored to them, the abductees Germans were given due directions concerning the way back to Belgium.

WHEAT HOLDS STEADY.
Entente Reply Fails to Greatly Disturb Market.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 12.—So far as the wheat market showed at the opening today, the answer of the entente allies to President Wilson's peace note has been largely discounted in advance. No unusual excitement was manifested and initial prices although higher, did not make any sensational jump. The maximum advance in first transactions was 2 3/4 c on May delivery, which touched \$1.90 a bushel, as against \$1.87 1/2 to \$1.87 3/4 at yesterday's finish.

FOUND MURDERED IN HOTEL.
Columbus, O., Jan. 12.—An unidentified woman was found murdered in a room at a leading hotel here today. Her throat was cut and her arms and chin hacked. Police believe she had been dead for twenty-four hours. The room was last occupied by G. V. Van Brunt, of Chicago, on January 9.

PLANNED TO SLAY JOHNSON.
San Francisco, Jan. 12.—Anarchist plot to assassinate Gov. Hiram Johnson, United States senator-elect from California, was revealed in letters seized in the office of Alexander Berkman several weeks ago. District Attorney Charles M. Eickert told Judge Franklin A. Griffin in the Money murder trial today,

COLD GONE! HEAD AND NOSE CLEAR

First dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" relieves all
grippe misery.

Don't stay stuffed-up!
Quit blowing and snuffling! A dose
of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken
every two hours until three doses are
taken will end grippe misery and break
up a severe cold either in the head,
chest, body or limbs.
It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils
and air passages; stops nasty discharge
or nose running; relieves sick head-
ache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat,
sneezing, soreness and stiffness.
"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quick-
est, surest relief known and costs only
25 cents at drug stores. It acts with-
out assistance, tastes nice and causes
no inconvenience. Don't accept a sub-
stitute.—Advertisement.

HERO OF THE SOMME MODEST YOUNG CHAP

Youthful Officer, Gathering
"Handful of Soldiers,"
Takes Beaucourt.

(By Mary Boyle O'Reilly.)
London, Jan. 12.—This is not a
Henry story of adventure; it is the
military record of a youthful New
Zealand lieutenant colonel who, at
27, has lived through two years of
"perfectly good war."
The declaration of war caught Ber-
nard C. Freyberg prospecting in
Mexico with occasional bits of fight-
ing on the side.
The big show being booked for Eu-
rope "B. C." sailed for Liverpool. It
was just like the lad to be a little
ahead of the rest. He got a berth as
junior lieutenant in the naval brigade.
They packed him off to Antwerp,
where he was wounded three times
and twice mentioned in dispatches.
After Antwerp, the naval brigade
went to the Dardanelles.
During the landing operations it
was decided to attack the peninsula
of Xeros. Freyberg was commanded
to lead three boat-loads of men ashore
and there light flares to draw the
Turkish fires.
He didn't seem to care for the idea.
Ordered to explain, he proved that
the plan spelt the useless death of
every man in the boats. He pleaded to
do the job single handed. He could
SWIM across; he was SOME swim-
mer.
An astonished major general con-
sented.
First Freyberg made a recon-
naissance in a destroyer. Next night
he dropped into the sea two miles
from his landing place. Hung from
his shoulders was a waterproof bag
holding three oil flares, a knife and a
revolver.
The swim consumed an hour and a
half, for Freyberg had to avoid bar-

A LIVING OBJECT LESSON IN MOTHER'S PENSIONS.



MRS. MARY O'ROURKE, NEW YORK CITY WIDOW AND THE SIX
CHILDREN SHE IS ENABLED BY MOTHERS' PENSIONS TO BRING
UP HERSELF.

By Judge Henry Neil.
Here's an example of the value of
mother's pensions:
Mary O'Rourke's husband died in
New York city and left her with six
children and no money. This state of
affairs a year ago would have sent
these children to the state institutions,
where they would have forgotten their
mother. But mother would not have
forgotten them, although she would
not have been allowed to know where
they were.
But the new mothers' pension law
of New York provided \$60 a month—

\$10 for each child—for this mother to
keep her own children in her own
home and bring them up with a moth-
er's care and a mother's love.

The mothers' pension board of New
York city has asked Mayor Mitchell for
an appropriation of a million and a
quarter dollars for pensions for this
kind of mothers for 1917.

The mayor had an investigation
made of 100 pensioned families and the
commissioners reported that "they
could find no fault. It seemed to them
the best system ever devised for the
care of dependent children with good
mothers."

bed wire with a trapper's care. Craw-
ling inland he lit his flares.

"BOOM!" went a Turkish gun—
another—then a battery. A large
enemy force were evidently strongly
entrenched. Freyberg dove into the
icy sea and swam to the ship. It
took two hours to find the destroyer,
while the flares blazing cheerily along
shore gave the allies' ships a range on
Turkish batteries.

Two months later Lieutenant Frey-
berg was a lieutenant colonel. As
such he came from Gallipoli.

Nov. 1, 1916, marked the fifth
month of the battle of the Somme.
The fifteenth a naval division
moved up to Beaucourt, commanded
by Lieut. Col. Freyberg.

Gathering as a storming force 250
men of one battalion, 115 of another,
50 of a broken brigade, Freyberg led
his job lot over the top.

In the first rush across the para-

pet he was wounded, given emer-
gency aid, and sprang forward to
rejoin his bunch. There was a hand-
to-hand fight among the ruins of
Beaucourt, for the Germans are not
taken easily.

Freyberg alone was four times
wounded. Yet during all the devil's
dance of battle the youthful leader,
in bandages, led the way through
the smoke and dark.

When at last the overwhelmed en-
emy surrendered he saw to shep-
herding the prisoners. Beaucourt
was won for the allies and the man
who won it sank down suddenly.

"I think I'll turn in now," he whis-
pered faintly. "Well done, boys,
carry on, carry on!"

That's how Freyberg, of New Zea-
land, became the hero of the Somme.

Ask him what he did at Beaucourt
and he says, half laughing, "The Lord
knows."

LETTER GIVES DETAIL OF NEPHEW'S DEATH

W. H. Rohr, uncle of F. A. Her-
manne, who died while on a moose
hunting trip in Canada a month ago,
has received a letter from the Cana-
dian authorities which explains the
circumstances surrounding the death
of the young man. The body of the
deceased arrived in Knox, Friday,
and funeral services will be held Saturday.

According to the letter, Hermanne
started out to hunt moose by himself,
as he had been disappointed about not
getting any game on former trips with
his companions. He was bent upon
getting one before returning to camp.
When nightfall fell upon the camp and
he did not return, his companions on
the expedition started out to hunt him.
They were forced to retreat to camp
on account of the black darkness. They
looked for the lost hunter the follow-
ing day, but without any results. Four
days later another party of hunters
accidentally found the body. The
Canadian authorities state that death
was due to exhaustion and exposure.

Bad Habits.
Those who breakfast at eight o'clock
or later, lunch at twelve and have din-
ner at six are almost certain to be
troubled with indigestion. They do
not allow time for one meal to digest
before taking another. Not less than
five hours should elapse between
meals. If you are troubled with in-
digestion correct your habits and take
Chamberlain's Tablets, and you may
reasonably hope for a quick recovery.
These tablets strengthen the stomach
and enable it to perform its functions
naturally. Obtainable everywhere.—
Advertisement.

WHAT HAS BECOME OF—



THE KID THAT WANTED
TO PRACTICE

Rurode's

TIMELY HINTS FROM OUR JANUARY SALE

Offerings That Ought to Command
The Attention of the Thrifty

The Sale of Linens

You know our reputation for good Linens. Our
stock was never so good as at present and the
savings during this sale are worth while if there is
a linen need.

72-inch Bleached Table Damask, very fine in
quality; ten patterns to choose from; regular
price \$1.25 yard; Sale price.....**\$1.08**

72-inch Bleached Table Damask, an extra heavy
quality; regular price \$1.00 a yard; Sale
Price, a yard.....**88c**

72-inch Bleached Table Damask, an unusually
fine quality in handsome patterns; regular price
\$1.50 a yard; Sale Price.....**\$1.32**

72-inch Bleached Table Damask in choice new
patterns; regular price 75c a yard; Sale
Price, a yard.....**68c**

Bleached Damask Pattern Cloths, size 2 by 2 1/4
yards, in choice designs, with napkins to match;
regular price \$12.00;
Sale Price.....**\$10.00**

Bleached Damask Pattern Cloths, size 2 by 2 1/4
yards; a fine quality in beautiful designs with
napkins to match; regular price
\$18.00; Sale Price, a set.....**\$15.75**

18-inch Unbleached Linen Crash Towel-
ing, 16c value; Sale Price, a yard.....**14c**

18-inch Bleached Linen Crash Toweling,
16c value; Sale Price, a yard.....**14c**

18-inch Bleached Linen Crash Toweling;
extra good, 18c value; Sale Price, a yard.....**16c**

Hemmed Crochet Bed Spreads, full size; in blue,
pink and yellow; regular price \$2.00;
Sale Price.....**\$1.78**

Fringed Crochet Bed Spreads, full size, blue,
pink and yellow; regular price \$2.25;
Sale Price.....**\$1.98**

White Crochet Bed Spreads, full size; hemmed;
choice designs; regular price \$2.00;
Sale Price.....**\$1.78**

White Crochet Bed Spreads, fringed, full size,
Marseilles patterns; regular price
\$2.25; Sale Price.....**\$1.98**

Full size Hemmed Crochet Bed Spreads;
extra quality; Sale Price.....**\$1.08**

Hemmed Crochet Bed Spreads, large
size, Marseilles patterns; Sale Price.....**\$1.32**

Hemmed Cotton Huck Towels, extra
size; reg. price 15c; Sale Price.....**12 1/2c**

Hemmed Cotton Huck Towels, extra large and
heavy; regular price 20c;
Sale Price.....**17c**

Extraordinary offering in Plush Coats. They are made in choice new styles from Salt's
Sealine Plush. They just came in yesterday. We bought them for less. We turn them over to
you the same way.

THREE LOTS--THREE PRICES

\$30.00 Plush Coats for\$22.50
\$32.50 Plush Coats for\$25.00
\$42.50 Plush Coats for\$30.00

Cold February and blustery March are still ahead. You will get a lot of comfort out of one
of these coats now and have a good stylish garment ready for next winter. The stock is limited;
choose quickly.



We Take Pleasure

—In announcing that we will have with us today and tomorrow Mrs. M. B.
Hayhurst, of the Nemo Hygienic Fashion Institute of New York, for a dem-
onstration and lecture on the merits of the Nemo Corsets. If you desire
health and corset comfort hear Mrs. Hayhurst.

Bed Sheets---Very Special

Full size Sheets torn and hemmed as they should be. Good
quality sheeting, 85c should be the price, we offer them at 79c each.

Utility House Dresses

No woman's wardrobe is complete without these sensible and
serviceable garments. Imagine the convenience of being able to
dress neatly in nine seconds with a garment that slips on and off
like a coat with only two buttons to adjust. These garments
come in a wide variety of pretty materials and cost but little. Buy
them now at 15 per cent. less.

Women's Muslinwear

Our splendid stock of Muslin Underwear is now on sale at
Special Prices

TO CLEAN UP

We have a lot of fine undergarments, some of them French hand
embroidered. Garments slightly mussed and soiled which you
can buy at less than half former prices.

Curtain Nets at Much Less

A lot of Curtain Nets in white and ecru that are slightly soil-
ed. To close them out these are the prices:

Nets that were 25c now.....**12 1/2c**
Nets that were 30c now.....**15c**
Nets that were 35c now.....**17 1/2c**
Nets that were 40c now.....**20c**
Nets that were 45c now.....**22 1/2c**
Nets that were 50c now.....**25c**
Nets that were 55c now.....**27 1/2c**
Nets that were 60c now.....**30c**

Clearance in Infants' and Children's Apparel

Clean, fresh, new and dainty apparel for infants and children
priced for less during this sale.

Infants' Long and Short Dresses, Infants' Long and Short
Coats, Infants' Caps and Bonnets, Children's Rompers and Play
Suits, all at lowered prices.

Misses' and Children's Coats, some exceedingly good styles,
to close out at one-fourth less.

A Clean-Up in Dress Goods

A broken lot that is left of a number of lines through the season;
plain colors and novelties; very good for skirts or spring suits;
prices that were from \$1.25 to \$2.00 a yard;
Sale Price, yard.....**\$1.15**

Too many Coatings on hand; we would rather close them out at
a price than carry over to next season, and in order to do so, we
will sell those

That were \$3.50 a yard at.....**\$2.75**
That were \$3.00 a yard at.....**\$2.25**
That were \$2.50 and \$2.75 a yard at.....**\$1.75**

All Remnants of Four Yards or Less at a Great Sacrifice

A lot of Novelties, in stripes and plaids, full yard wide, at less
than we can buy them at today; were asking 50c a
yard; Sale Price.....**39c**

These are all this season's styles and cannot be replaced at the
price we ask for them; we show them in plain colors and novelty
effects.

Corduroys (except white) will be sold at 10% discount during
this sale.

Bolivias and Velours will be sold at liberal reductions. They are
shown in all leading shades.

Wash Goods Section

50c Tussah in all shades, silk and cotton.....**39c**
60c and 75c Silk and Cotton, printed in elaborate designs on light shades; Sale Price.....**59c**
65c and 75c Wash Silks; Sale Price.....**59c**
Printed Cotton Voiles left over; were asking 25c to 39c a yard; will close out at.....**18c**

Majestic Theatre
TONIGHT
JOHN HAMS and LILA MINTYRE
—In—
"MY HOME TOWN GIRL"
Prices.....50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50

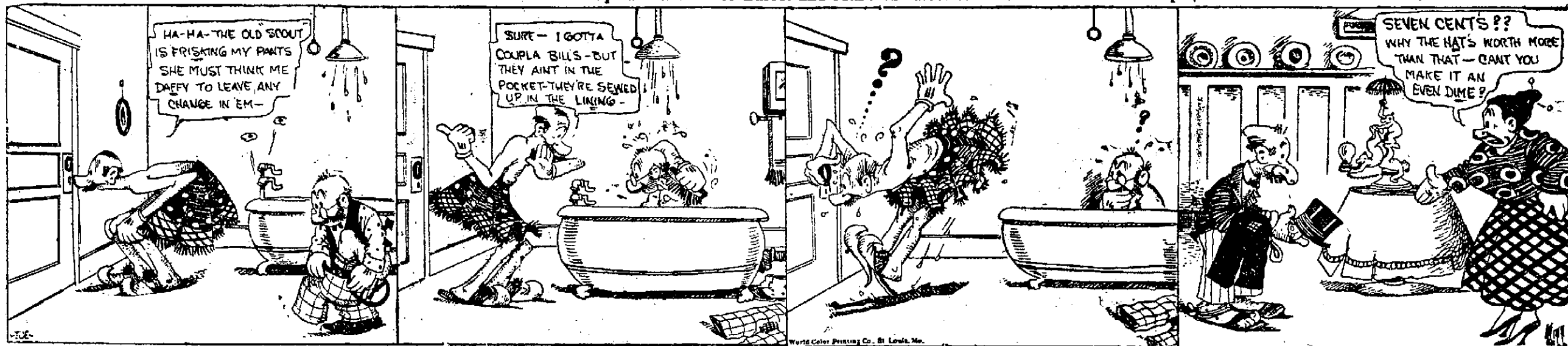
PALACE
DAILY
The Amusement Center of
Fort Wayne.
DUNBAR'S KILLARNEY
MAIDS
And 6 Big Bold Surprises.
1,000 Matinee Seats at 10c.
Nights.....10c, 20c, 50c, 50c
NEXT—The Suffragette Revue.
Jan. 1—Anniversary Week.

MAJESTIC THEATRE 3
Days
Commencing Monday Evening, January 15
D. W. GRIFFITH'S COLOSSAL \$2,000,000 SPECTACLE
"Intolerance"
LOVE'S STRUGGLE THROUGHOUT THE AGES.
THE PERFECT LOVE OF THE BOY AND THE DEAR ONE
See THE FEAST OF REBELLION!
THE THRILLING RACE BETWEEN TRAIN AND
AUTOMOBILE!
125 PEOPLE—7,500 HORSES—1,200 CHARIOTS.
PRICES: Matinees—25c to \$1.00.
NIGHTS—25c to \$1.50.
NO TELEPHONE ORDERS.

6 BIG NIGHTS 6 BIG NIGHTS
—Week of Merriment With the Moose—
MOOSE AUDITORIUM, Jan. 15-16-17-18-
19-20 ALL NEXT WEEK
CORNER WAYNE AND WEBSTER STS
25 PROFESSIONAL ENTERTAINERS 25
FEATURING
Francis McGuire, Edw. J. Nicholson, Ben Doran, Jack Driscoll,
George Towley, Frank Howard,
Exhibition Dancing by Craig & Carter. Dancing each even-
ing.
MUSIC BY HALLORAN'S COONEY ISLAND
BANJO ORCHESTRA
SEASON TICKETS, 50c. SINGLE ADMISSION, 25c

HITT AND RUNN—Now Bull Will Have to Jump Into a Sack or Barrel and Make the Rounds of the Old Clothes Dumps!

BY HITT



Fultz Sends Frat's Ultimatum to Baseball Magnates

ORGANIZED BALL GETS SWAT FROM FRATERNITY

Harry Sallee is Canned to Show That Players Mean Business Now.

New York, Jan. 12.—Acting for the Baseball Players' Fraternity, of which he is president, David L. Fultz yesterday sent the magnates of organized ball an ultimatum to the effect that unless requests made by the fraternity were agreed to training camps would be useless this spring.

To show that the fraternity would fight for the rights of the players officers of the organization gave out the statement that Harry F. (Slim) Sallee had been expelled for signing with the Giants after promising to stick by the fraternity until he was given permission to close the contract.

The President's Statement.
The following is a part of the statement by President Fultz:
"The report that Harry F. Sallee recently signed a contract with the New York Giants has been investigated by the fraternity and found to be true. Sallee was a member of the fraternity and voluntarily pledged himself, with between 600 and 700 other players, not to enter into a contract until he was permitted to do so, after our requests to organized ball had received proper consideration."

"As no consideration whatever has been given our requests to the board, and as Sallee acted in direct violation of his pledge, he was today expelled from the fraternity. This is the necessary result of any such act, and no exceptions can be made."

"It has been reported that Litter, Sandberg and Witterstatter have also signed. Witterstatter has not signed and the report was evidently given out for the effect it would have on other players. Ritter did not pledge himself to the fraternity and his case will be taken up later. Sandberg is not a member.
"For over two years we have through petition, argument and appeals to public sentiment and to the board of arbitration of the National Association of Baseball Leagues' sense of fairness attempted to get, not sweeping reforms, but only those ordinary considerations which are well recognized to be the just portion of the players, things which the national commission long ago granted us on behalf of the major leagues and which they have gone on record as approving for the minors. In this we have failed absolutely."

Board Will Get Shock.
"This board does not comprehend these methods and has in addition violated its agreement with us. It is now a case of continuing to accept breaches of their contract and of submitting to unfair regulations or talking in terms which the board understands. We believe it will understand this, that if it continues its present methods organized ball is in for one of the greatest surprises it has ever had in its existence."

"The magnates have failed utterly to diagnose the temper of the players. When players who have had no affiliation with the fraternity volunteer to stand with us because we are right, when meetings held so far in the large cities have had full attendance, when for a period of nearly three weeks from ten to twenty-five letters and telegrams daily have been received at this office from players, among whom are many of the bright stars of the game, demanding that we stand for our rights, it can be seen which way the wind is blowing."

Scratch pads, 5c and 2 for 5c. Just the thing for pencil work in school. Sentinel Office, 114 W. Wayne St.

PENNSY WINS AGAIN AND STICKS TO TOP

Dudlo Five Are Losers After Hard Battle With E. W. Team.

TEAM STANDINGS.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Pennsy	3	0	1.000
Electric Works	2	1	.667
Bowlers	2	2	.333
Dudlo	0	3	.000

A large crowd saw the Pennsy Rail-roads win last night and strengthen their hold on the top of the ladder. This five has gone the rounds now and has beaten each of the other teams in the league, emerging with a perfect percentage. Doriot again proved himself a star on the leading quintet, scoring all of the 17 points gained over the "Wild Tanks." All of this scoring is done with Kennedy guarding him, too, which is quite a feat for Doriot, for there are very few guards in the city better than Kennedy.

The Dudlo outfit fought hard last night but were nose out by a score of 11 to 8. Doerfler and Walda, two St. Paul players, were added to the ranks of the Dudlo squad and seemed to put some "spizzintum" into the playing of the team. At least they played their best game last night.

The Opener.
Pennsy (17). Bowlers (8).
Doriot R. F. Frelstroffer
Hoffman J. F. Weberus
Cramer C. Manning
Daley R. F. Dietrich
Henry L. G. Kennedy
Field goals—Doriot, 3; Hoffman, 2; Cramer, 1; Weberus, 1.
Foul goals—Doriot, 5; Dietrich, 1.
Referee—M. Irmacher.
The Pennsylvania outfit completed the first round of the circuit last night when the Bowler five was met and defeated by a score of 17 to 3. Like most scores, however, this one does not tell the tale of the game. Both teams were going wide open and the guarding on both sides was of the stone wall variety, with the ball going under the baskets very seldom. But when it did go under the Bowser cage, Doriot and his teammates seldom failed to register, while the Bowser forwards couldn't connect on their chances at all. The win was not a fluke, however, and the Pennsy team gets credit for a full-fledged win, having copped principally through hard and fast playing.
Doriot shows up as more of a star in every engagement and so far is evidently leading the league. The remainder of the Pennsy team works right with Doriot and as a result a winning combination has been formed which the other outfits have had trouble in breaking up. Dietrich and Kennedy play a powerful game as a defense for the "Tanker" and the team works the floor good but fails in the important business of making the tries for goal count.

Electricians Advance.
Dudlos (8). Electric Works (11).
Doerfler R. F. Miller-Bens
Wyss L. F. Diffendorfer
Herring C. G. Vonderhaar
Walda R. G. Bies-Outland
Kierpe L. C. Rulo-Lindenouth
Field goals—Wyss, 1; Walda, 1; Miller, 2; Vonderhaar, 1; Rulo, 1.
Foul goals—Doerfler, 4; Miller, 1.
Referee—M. Irmacher.

By means of their win last night the Electricians drew away from the Bowlers and went into second place unhampered. The Dudlo crew just about sprang a surprise last night, however, and the two new men whom they had in their line-up made the Broadway athletes sort of nervous. They managed to pull out without any difficulty and put over a win, 11 to 8. Deo Jones is in charge of this team now and threatens to make league leaders of them. Miller and Vonderhaar of the Feds team right along together and form the foundation for a first-class five. Doerfler, of the Dudlo team, did not play up to his standard last night, but the best of them will have bum days. At least the outfit was strengthened by the addition of the Electricians and Tanks will meet. This game threatens to be stormy, as does the Dudlo-Pennsy contest. It would be an awful blow to the Railroaders to have the tail end team knock a hole in their 1.000 percentage.

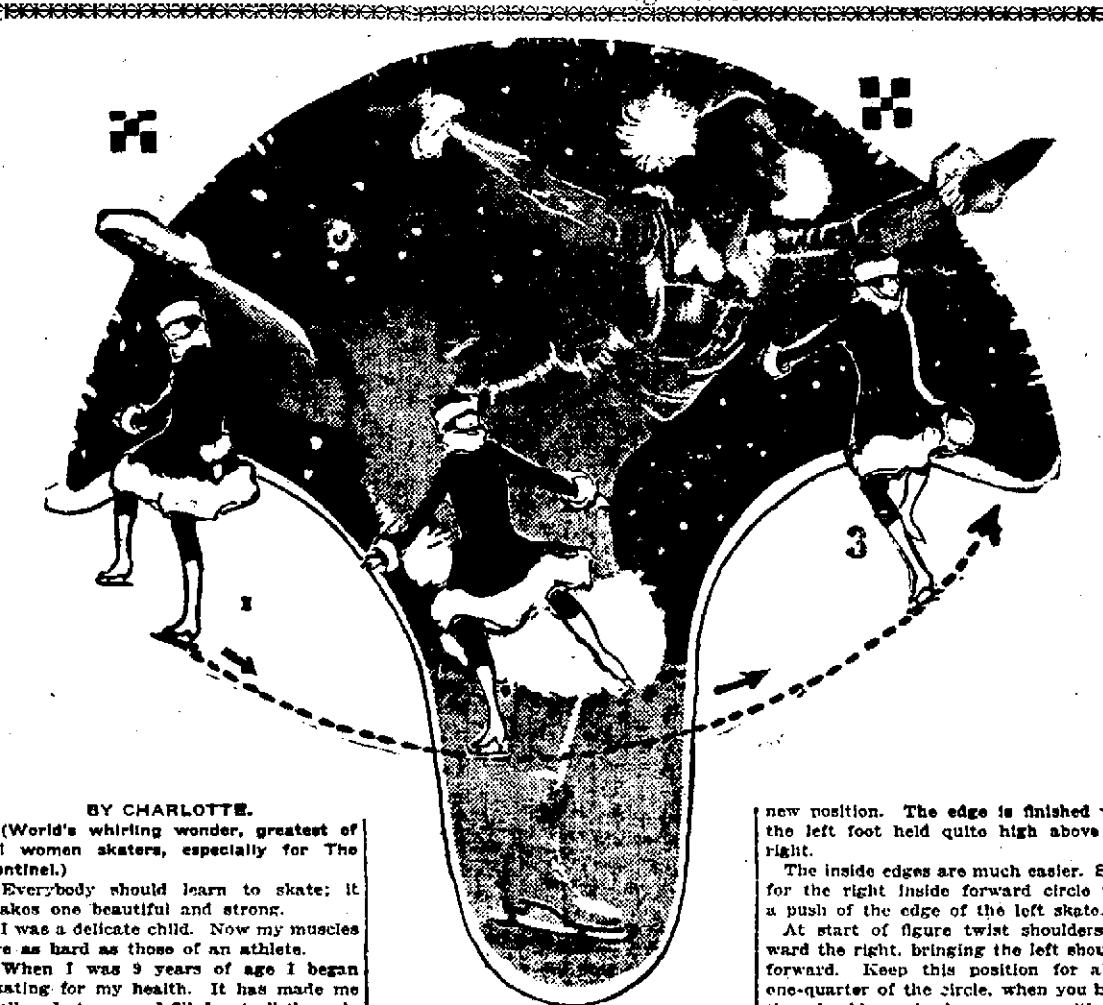
WELSH GETS SANCTION

To Box Mitchell in Milwaukee But Had to Post Forfeit.
Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 12.—The Wisconsin athletic commission Thursday formally sanctioned the proposed ten round boxing contest between Freddie Welsh, world's lightweight champion, and Richie Mitchell, Milwaukee challenger, for January 16 in this city upon receipt of a certified check from Welsh covering weight and appearance forfeits.

It cost \$20,000 to make Montana "dry."

HOW TO SKATE—BY CHARLOTTE

World's Whirling Wonder Tells of Benefits from the Standpoint of Health and Gives Lessons for Beginners.



BY CHARLOTTE.
(World's whirling wonder, greatest of all women skaters, especially for The Sentinel.)
Everybody should learn to skate: It makes one beautiful and strong. I was a delicate child. Now my muscles are as hard as those of an athlete. When I was 9 years of age I began skating for my health. It has made me well and strong and filled out all the ugly hollows.
It is not hard to learn to skate well enough to do simple figures and to dance on ice, and oh, it is more wonderful than dancing on a floor—it's more like flying. The first thing to learn in figure skating is the proper carriage. Always hold the head well, body erect with arms extended gracefully.
Bend the skating leg slightly at the knee. The balance leg should be carried somewhat away from the skating leg, with the knee well bent and the foot turned outward and downward. For balance, when the arms are on the one side of the body the leg is on the other, almost invariably.
We will take the edges first because they are the bases of all figure skating. Remember always to make your figures large—that is essential to the beginner. In beginning the right outside edge, stand with feet together. Start by pressing with the edge, not the point, of the left skate.
Turn the body on the right shoulder is almost directly over the right foot. Hold right arm well up and curved around the breast about six inches away, and extend the left arm directly behind the body.
Hold the position for one-half the circle. Then slowly carry the balance foot forward past the skating foot, turning the toe in and bending the knee of the balance foot as it is brought forward. Turn the body gradually as the left foot takes new position. The edge is finished with the left foot held quite high above the right.
The inside edges are much easier. Start for the right inside forward circle with a push of the edge of the left skate.
At start of figure twist shoulders toward the right, bringing the left shoulder forward. Keep this position for about one-quarter of the circle, when you bring the shoulders slowly square with the print (the mark made on the ice by the skate) and from this point on bring the right shoulder slowly forward until at the end of the figure the shoulders are almost in line with the print.
To complete an inside edge circle, bring the balance leg slowly forward and carry it past the skating leg, swaying the body from a forward to a backward balance. Bend the knee of the balance leg as it passes the skating foot, then carry the balance leg well to the right, across the print and raised above the skating knee. Swing the arms slowly across to the left of the body as the balance leg swings forward. Finish the figure as close to the starting point as possible.
(Another lesson by Charlotte will appear in The Sentinel tomorrow.)

LYCEUM FEDS MEET FRANKLIN TONIGHT

Real basketball is predicted for the Lyceum Feds tonight when they try out their ability against the Franklin Cadets of Franklin college. The college team is "ace-high" in the game and has been "cleaning" some of the best outfits in the state. The Feds are all in the best of condition and the regular line-up will appear to do battle against the collegians.
Beginning with the first of February, the Lyceum games will be played at the Concordia gym. The seating capacity of the Lyceum is not great enough to handle the crowd even for the early games and when the teams like the I. A. C. start to coming, the bosses figure that they'll need all the room they can get, and they're probably right.

High Schools Have Specials for Games

Two local high schools have basketball engagements in other towns tonight and the students of both schools have chartered specials to take them to the scenes of battle.

The boys and girls' teams of Fort Wayne will participate in a double-header at Decatur and the Central Catholic high team will play Garrett high. About seventy-five students will go on the latter car. The line-up for Central high is as follows: Gordon and Kinder, forwards; Kirkland and McLaughlin, center; Burns and Clifford, guards.

The Packards won from the Rubies at the Milner school gym by a score of 58 to 13. Miller scored 40 points for the winners and was named individual star.

The St. Peter's girls' team won from the Hanna school girls' team by a score of 20 to 9. Marcelle Arnold and Mabel McDonnell starred for the winners.

Mechanism whereby the music of a piano and phonograph can be combined has been patented by a New Jersey inventor.

PAYS \$5,000 TO OPTION JOCKEY



FRANKIE ROBINSON

Frankie Robinson, a boy of 19, leading jockey of 1916, is so much in demand on the turf that he has been paid an option of \$5,000 for his services by Harry Payne Whitney, New York millionaire horseman.

A ride on Rickety in the Belmont futurity really won recognition for Robinson. Whitney had three horses in the race and Robinson had choice of mounts. He beat out the other two Whitney entries, finishing second in the race.
During the season Robinson won 178 races in America, 129 in Canada, finished second 131 times in America and 83 times in Canada, and third 124 times in America and 59 times in Canada.

The pneumatic stacker saves a great deal of grain which was formerly wasted.

FOR SALE—Federal Securities and Investment Co. 7% preferred stock at par. C. F. Pfeiffer.

LOCAL TRIO AGAIN CLEANS OUT CIRCLE

Hal Stewart, Frankie Mason and Battling Hess fought in Grand Rapids last night at a private smoker and, much to the delight of the Grand Rapids fans, cleaned the ring out. Hal Stewart laid Johnny Weigast low in the sixth round, while Frankie Mason outpointed Battling Bragg and had him off his feet in the tenth. Hess did slightly better than a draw. The three fighters are the big noise in Grand Rapids sport circles.

EVANSVILLE'S BERTH

In Central This Year is Assured by Sale of Tickets.

Evansville, Ind., Jan. 12.—In two days' time the committee of prominent citizens appointed by the chamber of commerce, sold 200 season tickets for the Evansville Central league baseball team at \$15 apiece, thus assuring the city representation in the league next season.

THREE OFFICIALS FOR NEBRASKA SCRAPPERS.

An innovation in the conduct of boxing matches is planned in the boxing bill drafted for Nebraska, which will be voted on at the present session of the state legislature.
Instead of a referee to direct the bouts the bill provides for an umpire in the ring to handle the fighters and two judges at ringside to help the umpire decide on decisions.
The plan is evidently adopted from the A. A. U. rules for amateur boxing bouts which provide for three officials.
The boxing bill also prohibits guarantees for boxers. All must box on a percentage basis.

In homicides Italy leads with 2,500 annually; Russia comes next with 2,400 and Spain third, with 1,600.

Albert Ferreroli, of Hartford, Conn., recently found a coin dated 1719 and bearing an inscription of King George.

BOWLING.



OLYMPIC LEAGUE.

GROSCH GROCERS.			
Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.
J. Creigh	165	154	160
E. Zern	117	...	...
E. Kramer	150	194	194
E. Grosch	130	180	171
P. J. Hoffman	167	168	140
T. Zern	171	158	137
Totals	760	800	862

SCHARCOS.

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.
Schaab	146	155	176
John Rinehart	115	...	...
F. Matter	96	141	141
A. Zurbuch	171	182	150
Joe Rinehart	150	165	129
J. Rodermund	170	171	183
Totals	762	800	785

SCHARCOS SECONDS.

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.
P. Van Horn	172	113	141
H. N. Mettler	112	135	165
N. H. Mattes	130	137	140
Totals	423	385	426

GROSCH GROCERS SECONDS.

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.
G. Joeger	131	142	104
J. Klingenberg	141	96	137
J. Grosch	117	163	121
Totals	389	391	362

AGGIES WANT BREWER.

East Lansing, Mich., Jan. 12.—Coach Chester L. Brewer of the University of Missouri is favorably considering an offer to take charge of athletics at the Michigan Agricultural college again. The M. A. C. officials have been looking for a favorable coach and general director of athletics since Frank Sommer resigned at the close of the football season. Brewer, a graduate of the University of Wisconsin, went to Missouri after he made a remarkable record here.

GIVEN HOPE BOX.

David O. McComb, county superintendent, has been given a cedar chest by students of the manual training department of the Monroeville schools. It is a hope box, of practical size, and its corners are dove-tailed and bound with brass. A card inside the box said: "Monroeville, Ind., January 8, 1917. D. O. McComb—Greeting for the year 1917. Monroeville Manual Training School."

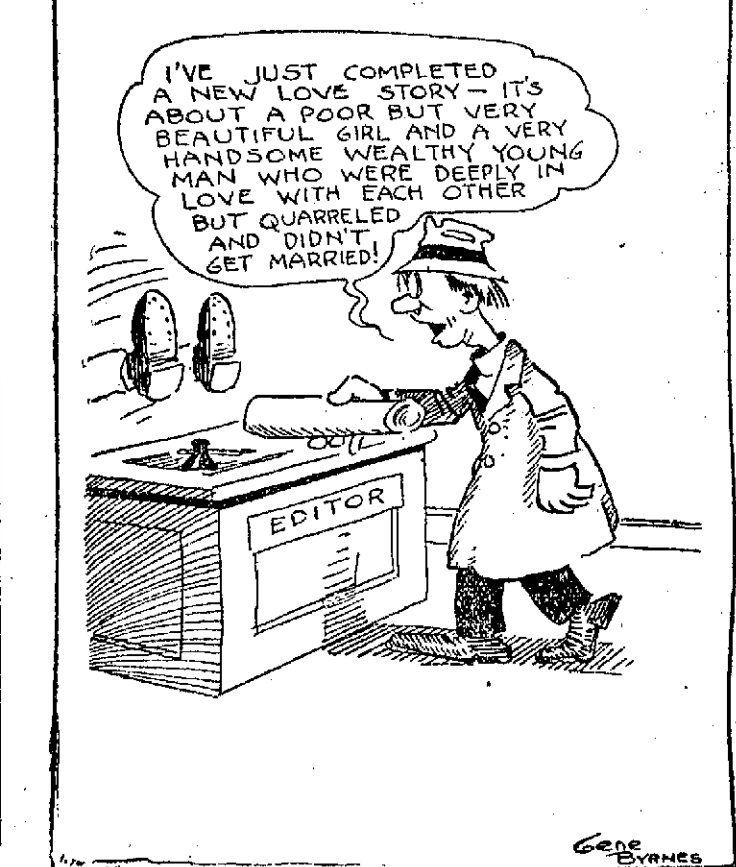
Mills in England have succeeded in making twine and yarn from flax straw, generally regarded as a waste product.

Sentinel Wants Ads. Bring

This French military surgeon won a bet by performing stunts on the parapet of a trench in full view of the Germans. But he got "ten days" for exposing himself needlessly to the enemy's fire.

THINGS THAT NEVER HAPPEN

By GENE BYRNES



Germany Surprised at Demands of the Allies

Berlin, Jan. 12.—(By Wireless).—Germany has handed neutral governments a note concerning the reply of the entente to the German peace proposals, the Overseas News agency announces.

It is first stated, says the news agency announcement, that the German government has received the reply of the entente to the note of Dec. 12, containing a proposition to enter at once into peace negotiations. The note continues:

"Our adversaries declined this proposition, giving as the reason that it is a proposition without sincerity and without importance. The form in which they clothe their communication excludes an answer to them, but the imperial government considers it important to point out to the governments of neutral powers its opinion regarding the situation."

"History Will Judge."

"The central powers have no reason to enter into any discussion regarding the origin of the war. History will judge upon whom the immense guilt of the war shall fall, history's verdict will as little pass over the encircling policy of France and the endeavor of Russia to gain Constantinople as over the instigation of the Serbian assassination in Sarajevo and the complete mobilization of Russia, which meant war against Germany."

Call Demand Surprising.

"Germany and her allies, who had to take up arms for defense of their liberty and their existence, consider this their aim of the war, as obtaining."

"On the other hand, the hostile powers always went further away from the realization of their plans, which, according to the declarations of their responsible statesmen, were, among others, directed toward the conquest of Alsace-Lorraine and several Prussian provinces, the humiliation and diminution of the Austro-Hungarian monarchy, the partition of Turkey and the mutilation of Bulgaria."

"In the face of such war aims the demand for restitution, reparation and guarantees in the mouth of our adversaries produces a surprising effect."

Protest Allied Charge.

"Our adversaries call the proposal of the four allied (Teutonic) powers a war maneuver. Germany and her allies must protest in the most energetic fashion against such a characterization of their motives, which were frankly explained. They were persuaded that a peace which was just and acceptable to all the belligerents was possible; that it could be brought about by an immediate, spoken exchange of views, and that, therefore, the responsibility for further bloodshed could not be taken."

"Their readiness was affirmed without reservation to make known their peace conditions when negotiations were entered into, which refutes every doubt as to their sincerity."

Rejected by Allies.

"Our adversaries who had it in their hands to examine the proposition as to its contents, neither attempted an examination nor made counter proposals. Instead, they declared that peace was impossible so long as the re-establishment of violated rights and liberties, the recognition of the principle of nationalities and the free existence of small states were not guaranteed."

"The sincerity which our adversaries deny to the proposals of the four allied powers, will not be conceded by the world to these demands if the world holds before its eyes the fate of the Irish people, the destruction of the liberty and independence of the Boer republic, the subjugation of northern Africa by England, France and Italy, the suppression of Russian alien nations, and also the violation of Greece, which is without precedent in history."

Against the pretended violations of the laws of nations by the four allies (Teutonic) those powers are not entitled to complain, which from the beginning of the war trampled on justice and tore to pieces the treaties upon which it is built. England already during the first weeks of the war repudiated the London declaration, the content of which has been recognized by its own delegates as a valid law of nations, and in the further course of the war violated in the most severe fashion also the Paris declaration; so that, by her arbitrary measures for warfare, a condition of lawlessness has been created."

"The war of starvation against Germany and the pressure exercised in England's interest against neutrals are not less scandalously conflicting with the rules of the laws of nations than with the commands of humanity."

Protest Use of Negroes.

"Likewise contrary to the laws of nations and incompatible with the usages of civilization are the use of colored troops in Europe and the extension of the war into Africa, which was done by a breach of existing treaties and which undermines the prestige of the white race on that continent."

"The barbarous treatment of prisoners, especially in Africa and Russia, and the deportation of the civilian population from eastern Prussia, Alsace-Lorraine, Galicia and Bukovina are further proof of how our adversaries point out the special situation of Belgium."

"The imperial government is unable to acknowledge that the Belgian government has always observed the duties which were enjoined upon her by her neutrality. Already before the war Belgium, under England's influence sought support in military fashion from England and France and thus herself violated the spirit of the treaty which she had to guarantee her independence and neutrality."

Belgian Case Reviewed.

"Twice the imperial government declared to the Belgian government that it did not come as an enemy to Belgium, and asked it to spare the country the terrors of war. Germany offered to guarantee the integrity and independence of the kingdom to the fullest extent and compensate for all damages which might be caused by the passage of the German troops."

"It is known that the royal British government in 1887 was resolved not to oppose the use of the right of way through Belgium under those conditions."

"The Belgian government declined the repeated offer of the imperial government. Upon her and those powers which instigated her to this attitude falls the responsibility for the fate which befall Belgium."

"The accusations about the German warfare in Belgium and the measures taken there in the interest of military safety have been repeatedly refuted by the imperial government as untrue. Germany again offers energetic protest against these calumnies."

Will Continue War.

"Germany and her allies have made an honest attempt to terminate the war and open the road for an understanding among the belligerents. The imperial government asserts the fact that it merely depended upon the decision of our adversaries whether the road toward peace should be entered upon or not. The hostile governments declined to accept this road. Upon them falls the full responsibility for the continuation of the bloodshed."

"Our allied powers, however, shall continue the struggle in quiet confidence and with firm trust in their right, until peace is gained which guarantees to their nations honor, existence and liberty of development, and which to all the nations of the European continent gives the blessing to co-operate in mutual respect and under equal rights together for the solution of the great problems of civilization."

Furniture Stores may come and Furniture Stores may go, but "Foster's Big Furniture Store" goes on forever. You can't kill a good thing. It is now on its 49th year in Fort Wayne, its 47th in Terre Haute, and its 35th year in Lafayette. "Nothing succeeds like success"; "merit wins."

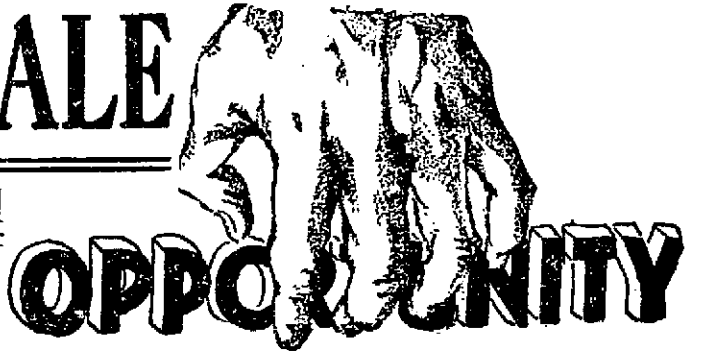
TURNER'S MASQUERADE BALL.

Fortwaerts Turnverein at its regular monthly meeting this week decided to give a masquerade ball on Shrove Tuesday evening at the Turner hall. This will be an elaborate affair and all members with their families will be invited.

Mighty Sale Savings Are Within Your Grasp At MYERS' CLOSING OUT SALE

AS TIME grows shorter the bargains grow bigger, for additional price slashes have been made to make the closing days of this eventful saving occasion the most sensational and thrift exciting sale in the last decade.

Values better and prices lower than any ordinary clearance sale in Fort Wayne. All thought of profit has been cast aside. All we want is to clean out the merchandise and realize whatever ready cash it will bring. Cost and less prevails on every article. Buy Bigger Bargains now!



One Lot of Children's Coats, light weight, all colors. Your choice at \$1.00

Suits

One Lot of Suits to \$35	One Lot of \$30 Suits on
—at—	Sale at
\$3.47	\$13.75

Wake to the Waist Sale Wonders!

One of the biggest bargain bangs of this sale has been the tremendous values offered in Waists. Splendid models, each with some distinctive feature to make it an appealing garment at any time, and a truly wonderful garment when priced at the Sale saving.

Just added a big lot of \$2.50 values to the assortment we have created a run on at	Silk, Voile and Lace Waists in values to \$5.50. Fine quality, stylish models, on sale at
25c	\$1.29

Coats

Coats Up to \$20, on Sale Now	Coats to \$30, on Sale Now
\$8.97	\$14.75

Silk Petticoat Specials

Nearly Always a Staple Article, Now at Decided Reductions.

\$2.25 Silk Petticoats on Sale at	\$1.25 Gingham Petticoats, on sale at
\$1.59	79c

Curtains Cut to the Limit

Good Grades and Patterns in Many Choice Selections at Cut Prices.

\$1.35 Values	\$2.00 Values	\$3.25 Values	\$5.00 Values
92c	\$1.39	\$2.42	\$3.63

Hose Sale Slashes

Here's Your Chance to Buy a Supply for Less Than You Expected to Pay.

One lot silk and hose: all colors; worth 69c and 50c	One lot of \$1.25 silk hose on sale at
39c	79c

Bigger Blanket Bargains

These Will Go Fast. Make Your Savings Early as Possible.

\$6.00 All-Wool Blankets	\$1.50 Cotton Blankets
\$3.98	98c

LADIES' KNIT SCARFS

\$1.25 Values 69c

NEW PURSES

60c Values 42c
\$1.25 Values 83c

Kimonos

Finest Crepe: \$1.75 Values 98c
\$3.00 Values \$1.98

One lot \$35 Coats

The Biggest Bargain Bang of the Sale \$5.00

LACES

7c Values on sale 3 1/2c

YARNS

15c Values All colors 8c

PURSES

One lot of \$1 Values 33c

MEN'S COLLARS

Silver Brand 15c grades 10c

WOOL DRESS GOODS

One Lot 50c Values at 37c

MUSLIN Underwear

One Lot of \$1 Gowns, Combinations, Etc. 63c

Skirts

Up to \$5 Values	Up to \$8 Values
2.98	3.89

MEN'S 50c Knit Mufflers

33c

Infants' 59c Sacques

39c

HAIR RIBBONS

29c Values 17c

Remnants of Yard Goods Way Below Cost.

Myers Dry Goods Company

807-809 Calhoun Street Shoaff Building

Knit Underwear on Sale Way Below Cost.

SHOWS GROWTH OF ELECTRIC BUSINESS

Peter Junkersfeld is Speaker Before Public Utility Men.

Centralized control means better service in the electrical business, Peter

Junkersfeld told members of the Fort Wayne section of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers speaking at the Commercial club Thursday night from the subject, "Central Station Activities and Their Relation to the Public." He is president of the Edison Electrical Illuminating association and has had much to do with the development of the Commonwealth Edison company of Chicago.

He traced the development of the electrical industry from the start of the first electric generating plant established at Appleton, Wis. in 1882 until the present time. The operating side of the electrical business, the speaker said, included the depart-

ments of generating, transmission and keeping of accounts. He explained the work necessary to give the customer efficient service when \$2,000 customers in Chicago moved in one year.

Long hour customers, Junkersfeld said, could be always given a better rate, while the short hour user could not be given such a good rate. The average person is using more and more electricity every day, and the speaker laid stress on the residence business of electrical companies. The residence customer, Junkersfeld said, was always the hardest to please. The speaker said that one of the most important factors that affect the cost of

rendering service was the density of electric service, or the quantity in a given area.

Player Piano, \$325, regular value \$550. A bargain. At Spiegel Piano Co., 325 Calhoun St.

Harrison, Me., boasts a stage driver who has been in the business for a half-century.

M. R. Van Houten recently walked from Los Angeles to Chicago to cure his rheumatism.

FIRE AT SOAP WORKS.

Summit City Soap works, on Glasgow avenue, was threatened by fire Thursday evening, when several empty cartons, on the second floor of one of the buildings, leaped into flames. A citizen passing the front of the building saw the blaze. He called firemen. Chemicals were used in extinguishing the flames. Fire was put out before walls of the building were ignited. Loss is slight.

John Graham, of Tuscola, Ill., wears a straw hat in winter, and goes barefooted from early spring to Christmas

Men In Every Walk of Life Are Coming to GOLDEN'S Big Stock Moving Sale

GOLDEN'S

730 CALHOUN STREET

18 TAILOR MADE SAMPLE OVER-COATS 25 PER CENT. OFF

SPECIAL PRICES ON SHIRTS, TIES, HATS, ETC.

BEGIN HOT WATER DRINKING IF YOU DON'T FEEL RIGHT

Says glass of hot water with phosphate before breakfast washes out poisons.

If you wake up with a bad taste, bad breath and tongue is coated; if your head is dull or aching; if what you eat sours and forms gas and acid in stomach, or you are bilious, constipated, nervous, and can't get feeling just right, begin inside bathing. Drink before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will flush the poisons and toxins from stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels and cleanse, sweeten and purify the entire alimentary tract. Do your inside bathing immediately upon arising in the morning to wash out of the system all the previous day's poisonous waste, gases and sour bile before putting more food into the stomach.

To feel like young folks feel; like you felt before your blood, nerves and muscles became loaded with body impurities, get from your pharmacist a quarter pound of limestone phosphate which is inexpensive and almost tasteless, except for a sourish twinge which is not unpleasant.

Just as soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and freshening, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. Men and women who are usually constipated, bilious, headachy or have any stomach disorder should begin this inside bathing before breakfast. They are assured they will become real cranks on the subject shortly.—Advertisement.

IF YOU WANT ELECTRIC SERVICE

PHONE 293.

15-Jewel Elgin or Waltham Gold Filled, 18-size Watches, \$6.95.

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Best of Service at Reasonable Prices
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DUNN COAL CO.

TUBE COMPANIES TO FIGHT THE ORDER

See Big Loss if Burleson Auto Mail Plan is Adopted.

(By Gilson Gardner.)

Washington, Jan. 11.—Some ten million dollars in stock value tied up in the pneumatic tube equipment used by the postoffice department in a number of the large cities, accounts for the howl against Postmaster General Burleson's order to discontinue in large part the use of this device in favor of carriage by automobiles.

The private companies owning tube patents and tubes have enjoyed profitable contracts for carrying mails in New York, Boston, Chicago and other large cities, and the loss of the government's patronage will mean serious loss to them.

A vigorous fight is on in congress to save the tube contracts. Burleson, however, is equally determined that the tubes, except in New York city, where peculiar conditions govern, shall be abandoned. It is a clash of interests, with a marked divergence of views as to the usefulness of the tube device. The owners claim that tubes are the last word of efficiency, while Mr. Burleson and a commission which has reported to him, claim that they are inadequate, being liable to break-down, stoppage, congestion and that they are not large enough to handle the volume of mail. The automobile, it is claimed, while more slow than the tube for light mail, gets the bulk of the mail, and on an average more quickly, reliably and cheaply. It is on this ground that Burleson intends to give up the tube contracts.

The government has been paying in the neighborhood of \$750,000 a year for the use of the tubes. Of this amount, it is claimed about \$500,000 is profit. The stock ownership in the tube companies, it is claimed, has been so distributed that the tubes have friends in places where friends are needed. One high official tells me that an investigation of the books of the tube company would connect up some senators with that concern.

On the other hand, graft is charged in the promotion of the automobile contracts. The Atlanta penitentiary has just released a man named Cassidy, after serving a year's term for bribing postal officials to substitute automobiles for pneumatic tubes in several of the large cities. Cassidy openly boasted that it was his purpose in life "to kill the tubes." He hoped to pull down some big and profitable contracts for his automobile plants when this had been accomplished. Cassidy entertained lavishly. He kept an apartment in New York for this purpose and he was so foolish as to boast of his control over postal officials who were in a position to control specifications and help him to get contracts. He went too far, eventually, in his boasts and in his bribing operations and Postmaster General Burleson got him.

The P. M. C. says he is equally indifferent to charges of influence on either side of this controversy; that he is aiming at one object—efficiency and economy—and intends to pursue it regardless of consequences.

Members of the postoffice committee of the house favorable to the device are Congressman Taggart, of Boston; Griffin, of New York; Madden, of Illinois; Copley, of Illinois; Latham, of Pennsylvania; Grist, of Pennsylvania; Hamilton, of New York; Paige, of Massachusetts; and Steenerson, of Minnesota. Congressman Beakes, of Michigan; Finley, of South Carolina, and Ball, of Georgia, have not expressed their views.

The minority of the house committee have signed a report which says in part: "The recommendations of the postmaster general's committee are contradicted by the reports of five previous governmental commissions which have considered this subject, including an exhaustive report of a congressional committee made just previous to the appointment of this department committee. The result of tests of these pneumatic tubes made during the holidays in the presence of the service and demonstrated that the report of this departmental committee is inaccurate and misleading, and that its conclusions are not warranted."

The pneumatic tube interests have set up a publicity department in Washington and are flooding the newspapers with copy charging prejudice on the part of Postmaster General Burleson and suggesting that the abandonment of tubes is a backward step and is to be taken at the instigation of powerful automobile interests.

GENEVA NEWS.

Geneva, Ind., Jan. 12.—Frank Pickett was in Fort Wayne Tuesday on business.

Jack Aspy returned to Detroit after a month's vacation here with his family.

Mrs. C. N. Brown and Mrs. Grace

Constipation Makes You Dizzy, Bilious

Get Relief in Thirty Minutes by Taking a Wineglassful of Tollo Water.

That bilious, dizzy, headachy feeling that brings with it coated tongue, foul breath and sallow, puffy skin can be banished clean out of your life in half an hour by taking a wineglassful of Tollo Water before breakfast. It quickly but gently flushes and washes the stomach and bowels, leaving them sweet and clean. It also washes out the bile tubes of the liver and puts it to work again.

Don't dose yourself with drugs and oils, but let this wonderful product of Nature from Dawson Springs, Kentucky, restore your good health. Go to the drugstore today and get a 15-cent bottle and take a third of a tumblerful in a glass of plain water before breakfast tomorrow morning.

Take it every morning for a few days until the poison the system has absorbed from decaying waste in the bowels has been removed. After that an occasional wineglassful will keep your bowels regular, your liver clean and active and your stomach ready to digest anything you eat.—Adv.

No "Cut Price Sales" but More Than Your Money's Worth--- ALWAYS!

Trivers' merchandising methods are different from the ordinary retailers. Because we sell Trivers clothes direct from factory to wearer, you pay no retailer's profits and expenses here.

Whether it be January or June, Trivers prices remain the same—Ten and Fifteen Dollars.

No Mark-Up at Trivers Early in the Season, to take Care of a Mark-Down Later On!

No business can live without profit. When you read of clothing being marked 1-5, 1-4 or 1-3 off, it's no doubt true. But wouldn't you list to be the man who paid, says \$30, today, for a garment and see the same thing tomorrow being sold for \$20?

Trivers Prices Same Year Round

Values \$15, \$18, \$20.

Values \$22.50, \$25, \$27.50

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There may be many reasons for reducing the prices of clothing—but there are not many reasons why you should buy it.

If it's "the end of the season," or "odds and ends" you have no selection to choose from. If it's "discontinued models"—they are styles soon to be forgotten. Why buy them?

If it's "special purchases," the size range is limited, and besides, there are mighty few wholesalers these days, who are willing to make a price concession when they'd have to turn around and pay a much higher price for the same grade of woollens.

New Shipments, New Styles, Nearly Every Day

We are manufacturers. This store is one of our distributing stations. We concentrate on two prices. Our stocks are always clean—there are never any "odds and ends." New shipments today take the place of garments sold yesterday. We've eliminated many expense items by our method of selling. No matter when you buy at Trivers' you can figure you've saved \$5 to \$12.50.

Trivers Clothes Shop

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We'll Keep Your Clothes Pressed Free

We Guarantee

that you will be perfectly satisfied with any Trivers Suit or Overcoat you buy. We are not trying to build a business on "promises."

Harper visited in Fort Wayne Thursday. Mack Burdick returned to Astabula, Ohio, Tuesday, after visiting with friends here.

Mrs. Mina Mills, of Valentine, Ind., visited her daughter, Mrs. William Baker.

Waldo Harrison, of Bolivar, N. Y., visited with J. H. Harrison this week. Waldo is on his way to Tulsa, Okla.

J. C. Glendening and wife, after spending the summer in Michigan and the holidays in New York, have returned to Geneva for the winter.

Mrs. D. A. Judy received a letter from her brother, John L. Sullivan, of Pennington, Ark. He left here twenty years ago and this is the first time she heard from him. He has a large farm in the lumber section of Arkansas and grows corn, wheat and cotton.

Richard Briggs left Wednesday for Fort Wayne, to attend the bedside of Miss Ida Bolds, who was operated on Tuesday. Her condition is very critical.

Mrs. George Christman, of Lake City, Mich., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Henry Morical and her brother-in-law, Daniel Connor, and family.

John Hiestian and family moved to their farm near New Corydon, Monday.

The funeral of James Gray, aged 14, was held in the United Brethren church Wednesday morning. School was dismissed that the children might attend. James leaves a father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Gray, and one brother, Harold.

ZANESVILLE NEWS.

Zanesville, Ind., Jan. 12.—Simon Hilsenmeyer, C. Lipp and Fred Lipp, of Ossian; Ed Platt, Ed Robinson, R. M. Calley, Frank Hoopingarner, Tom Downman, Ferd Hartup, Bernard Pierson and a number of others met in Zanesville Tuesday afternoon to transact business relating to the Uniondale Rural Telephone company.

Sim Weaver, Otto Scott, Edward Scott, Joe Weaver and Harry Keping were callers at the Lutheran hospital Tuesday to see A. V. Scott, who is suffering from a serious burn. Bernard Pierson and Harry Keping transacted business in Uniondale Saturday.

John Jacobs, Glen Walter and Von Crow, Zanesville star basketball players, went to Huntington Saturday to play with the Huntington team.

A. H. Knight and Otto Scott went to Fort Wayne Sunday to see A. V. Scott, who is in the Lutheran hospital suffering from a serious burn.

Mrs. Theodore Hersh, of Bluffton, gave an interesting report Sunday at

the U. B. church of the national W. C. T. U. convention at Indianapolis. Mont Chaney, of Fort Wayne, spent Saturday and Sunday in Zanesville.

NOTICE.

The Annual Meeting of The Packard Piano Co.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Jan. 4, 1917. Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of The Packard Piano company will be held at the office of The Packard Piano company, on Fairfield avenue, Tuesday evening, January 16th, 1917, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before them.

J. M. KUHNS, Secretary.

The government maintains 27,340 miles of road in Spain and has more than 3,000 miles under construction at the present time.

Sure! High Heels Cause Corns But Who Cares Now

Because style decrees that women crowd and buckle up their tender toes in high heel footwear they suffer from corns, then they cut and trim at these painful pests which merely makes the corn grow hard. This suicidal habit may cause lockjaw and women are warned to stop it.

A few drops of a drug called freez-o applied directly upon a sore corn gives quick relief and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts out without pain. Ask the drug store man for a quarter of an ounce of freez-o, which costs very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet.

This drug is an ether compound and dries in a moment and simply shrivels up the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin. Clip this out and pin on your wife's dresser.—Adv.

Our Cash System Saves You 5 to 10% on Men's Furnishings
H. HELFRICK & SONS
1216 Calhoun

MAY TURN ANTI-TRUST LAW ON PAPER PRICES

Inquiry is Expected to Bring Action by Attorney General.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 10.—The investigation by the federal trade commission into the high cost and limited supply of news print paper has rumbled and muttered along over a period of months.

At last it appears that United States Attorney General Gregory may take a hand and that the Sherman anti-trust law may be invoked. But in the meantime what has been happening?

With the contract price of news print paper advanced since the early part of 1916 from less than \$2 per hundred pounds to more than \$3.50, publishers have been put to it to continue in the newspaper business. By decreasing the size of their papers, by eliminating all free copies and in many cases raising subscription prices, newspapers that use sufficient news print to assure them contracts with the manufacturers have been able to make ends meet.

But the small publishers, the proprietors of newspapers in the smaller towns and cities, whose consumption of news print is not sufficient to justify the mills entering into contracts with them, have in instance after instance not been able to make ends meet. Many publishers of this type have been forced to close up shop and go out of business. And WHY?

Because the small publisher, denied a contract, is forced on the open market for his news print.

If equally to stand punishment has been demanded of the big publisher by the advance in the contract price of paper, the endurance the small publisher has been asked to display has been even greater. For open market prices—the only prices with which the big majority of newspaper publishers has any personal experience—have advanced to \$5 and \$7 a hundred pounds!

The public, after months of teeter-tottering by the trade commission, has decided the time has come for a judicial hearing and at last events appear to be shaping themselves in that direction. The manufacturers have withdrawn from the investigation hearings on the score that it would

take months to verify production cost figures recently submitted by the newspaper publishers and that any way the figures are wrong and that further parley is a waste of time.

The trade commission has followed up this action with a communication to Gregory to the effect that the commission is "of the opinion that the inquiry has now reached a state where

further operation of the justice department would be advantageous."

And Gregory has replied, saying "I know, of course, from what has already been brought out, that a serious condition exists in this trade and that any remedy which the law may afford should be applied at once."

TRY SENTINEL WANT ADS.

HAVE YOUR AUTOMOBILE PAINTED NOW

The logical time to have your car painted and refinished is naturally in the winter, when you have put aside the car during the coldest months.

You should have your car painted when it is not being used and have it ready by spring looking like new.

AND WE MAKE YOUR CAR LOOK LIKE NEW

The City Carriage Works

Cor. Barr and Main Streets.

Phone 155.

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Under New Management

--Automobile Service--

Within a Radius of Twenty Miles Daily Service for Collection of Hotel, Restaurant and Meat Market, Greases, Tallow, Bones and Garbage

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Distributors in Any Quantity of

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Store Closes Saturday, 5 P. M.

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The Price of Potatoes Sky High

REAL FOOD FACTS

is a very good reason why you should use **KRE-MO Sterilized RICE** as a vegetable, as this wholesome rice food can be served with brown gravy or a little butter, pepper and salt or many other ways such as is contained in the book of recipes in each package and at about one-half the cost.

UNTIL NOW

you have not been able to procure such an economical food as a package of **KRE-MO** that will make more than eight pounds of prepared food and in such a quick and easy manner.

A dish of this Smooth Creamy Flavor food is sure to please your palate and satisfy your appetite.



YOUR Grocer will be glad to send you a package with your next order because he knows that you will be pleased.

After the First Taste Then

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LEGAL NOTICES.

COMMISSIONERS' ALLOWANCES FOR DECEMBER, 1916.

The following list of allowances made by the Board of Commissioners of the County of Allen for the month of December, 1916:

Wm. B. Buford, expense auditor, \$ 18.00	News Publishing Co., pub. advertising, 41.54
Standard Stamp Affixer Co., expense treasurer, 4.00	Geo. Springer, viewing Hoffman road, 6.00
Indian Refining Co., expense Detention home, 4.00	Fred Scherer, viewing Hoffman road, 6.00
Swift & Co., expense Detention home, 7.35	Jacob Young, viewing Hoffman road, 6.00
Swift & Co., expense Fort Recovery, 6.50	Wiegman & Zeit, expense Detention home, 3.26
Indianapolis Asylum for Friendless Colored Children, care of children, 36.80	Schleifer Shoe Store, expense Detention home, 3.20
Corkin Chemical Co., mdse. poor farm, 30.00	H. M. Pratt, expense Detention home, 75.70
Edison Lamp Works, mdse. court house, 27.25	Perfection Biscuit Co., expense Detention home, 5.72
Samuel Levee, mdse. court house, 23.82	M. F. Kaug & Sons, expense Detention home, 1.58
Burroughs Adding Mch. Co., mdse. court house, 1.00	G. E. Bursley & Co., expense Detention home, 29.30
Munroe Supply Co., mdse. trustee, 5.00	G. B. Busley & Co., expense Fort Recovery, 21.75
Elliot-Pfleger Co., mdse. auditor Crown Ribbon & Carbon Mfg. Co., mdse. clerk, 13.00	Bande Books & Office Supply Co., expense Detention home, 28.25
Underwood Typewriter Co., mdse. court house, 148.75	C. T. Brown, expense Detention home, 26.40
Chas. H. Weatherhog, mdse. court house, 10.00	E. A. Crull, expense Fort Recovery, 224.55
Fort Wayne & Nor. Ind. Tr. Co., mdse. Orphans' home, 7.80	Alex H. Staub, expense court house, 141.59
Ind. Tel. & Tel. Co., service health commissioner, 1.13	John B. O'Rourke, repair power plant, 2.00
Home Tel. & Tel. Co., service auditor, 1.30	J. B. O'Rourke, repair jail, 56.70
Home Tel. & Tel. Co., service surveyor, 1.35	J. B. O'Rourke, repair Orphans' home, 8.80
Home Tel. & Tel. Co., service new farm, 1.00	R. W. Guenther, per O. B. Wiley, bridge superintendent, 102.00
D. C. Stout, expense clerk, 5.00	R. W. Guenther, per O. B. Wiley, survey of new county farm drain, 200.00
Moore Printing Co., expense clerk, 30.09	R. W. Guenther, per O. B. Wiley, survey of new county farm drain, 64.50
W. F. Runke, treasurer, office expense, 10.00	Amiel C. Gladieux, boarding prisoners at jail, 1,739.20
Frances Schlatter, recorder's expense, 2.20	Amiel C. Gladieux, long distance jail, 22.98
Dukes Clothing Co., expense jail, 4.50	Amiel C. Gladieux, serving jury venire circuit court, 98.40
D. O. McConnel, expense county superintendent, 446.70	Amiel C. Gladieux, serving grand jury venire circuit court, 11.50
Emma Matsch, assistant county superintendent, 15.00	Amiel C. Gladieux, juvenile court, 40.05
Belmont Stables, expense health commissioner, 2.00	Amiel C. Gladieux, serving jury venire superior court, 81.40
C. B. Channing, expense commissioners, 32.50	Amiel C. Gladieux, postage, 5.00
Fort Wayne Pig Co., expense sheriff, 4.10	Amiel C. Gladieux, serving road viewers, 4.00
Fort Wayne Pig Co., expense treasurer, 3.00	Amiel C. Gladieux, returning fugitive from justice, 4.30
Fort Wayne Pig Co., expense clerk, 186.98	Ida Gladieux, matron at county jail, 100.00
Fort Wayne Pig Co., expense auditor, 24.15	Michael McDonald, deputy sheriff commissioners' court, 100.00
Fort Wayne Pig Co., expense clerk, 102.00	David D. Current, variance at county jail, 125.30
Frank Gruber Boiler Works, repair power house, 2.00	J. E. McCardle, coroner's inquests, 100.00
Fort Wayne Pig Co., expense court house, 19.25	Burial of Old Soldiers, 76.84
Wayne Belling & Supply Co., expense court house, 172.20	Huntersville Grain Co., mdse. new farm, 153.83
Troy Toilet Service Co., expense court house, 10.00	Huntersville Grain Co., mdse. new farm, 2.33
Troy Toilet Service Co., expense court house, 86.70	George Eby, expense new farm, 25.85
Olds Coal Co., expense power house, 654.34	C. P. Edwards, expense new farm, 40.00
V. M. Nussbaum, expense power house, 28.33	Mrs. Henry Schuster, expense Fort Recovery, 4.00
Peter A. Moran Ice Co., expense court house, 7.50	H. W. Metzger, expense Fort Recovery, 7.55
Moeller Bros. & Millard, expense court house, 37.00	Louis F. Horstman, expense Fort Recovery, 5.88
Moeller Bros. & Millard, expense power house, 28.50	Recovery, 8.35
Fort Wayne Engineering & Mfg. Co., expense power house, 5.65	Clark Fruit Co., expense Fort Recovery, 14.95
Fort Wayne Building Supply Co., expense power house, 13.50	Geo. Garman, Vanzile grade, 600.00
Drier Drug Co., expense power house, 84.15	St. J. Hillkass, expense Fort Recovery, 48.39
Drier Drug Co., expense power house, 1.50	Bridge bills, 1,014.85
Drier Drug Co., expense power house, 7.44	Sheldon Tile Co., mdse. new farm Janitors and other employees of the county, 1,647.54
Drier Drug Co., expense power house, 67.75	Expense of assessing, 150.00
Wulf & Bessauer, expense jail, 6.82	Delmer Tonkel, approach at Gloyd mill, 30.18
Wulf & Bessauer, expense jail, 60.71	Huntersville Grain Co., Stock & Agr. Assn., 125.00
C. C. Schlatter & Co., expense poor farm, 14.73	Geo. Jaap, repairs power house, 396.96
Jackson Market House, expense poor farm, 245.05	City Water Works Dept., rental, 1,057.73
Indiana Electric App. Co., expense poor farm, 39.50	General Printing Corp., expense treasurer, 418.00
Wm. Hahn & Co., expense poor farm, 3.37	Wm. Eggeman, auto contract, 15.00
Fort Wayne Oil & Supply Co., expense poor farm, 32.25	Wm. Eggeman, assessor's expense, 14.63
Fort Wayne Oil & Supply Co., expense poor farm, 18.00	Wm. Eggeman, assessor's expense, 14.63
Central Grocery Co., expense poor farm, 5.68	Wm. Eggeman, assessor's expense, 14.63
Central Grocery Co., expense poor farm, 4.04	Wm. Eggeman, assessor's expense, 14.63
Geo. A. Clapsattle, expense poor farm, 112.17	Wm. Eggeman, assessor's expense, 14.63
Ira Bickel, expense poor farm, 10.35	Wm. Eggeman, assessor's expense, 14.63
C. A. Singery, expense Isolation hospital, 27.00	Wm. Eggeman, assessor's expense, 14.63
Thurston & Herrman, expense Isolation hospital, 6.73	Wm. Eggeman, assessor's expense, 14.63
Protective Elect. Supply Co., repair Orphans' home, 42	Wm. Eggeman, assessor's expense, 14.63
Allen County Orphans' Home, care of children, 712.00	Wm. Eggeman, assessor's expense, 14.63
Automotive Registering Mch. Corp., expense clerk, 15.42	Wm. Eggeman, assessor's expense, 14.63
Journal-Gazette, pub. advertising, 26.20	Wm. Eggeman, assessor's expense, 14.63
Fort Wayne Sentinel, pub. advertising, 55.25	Wm. Eggeman, assessor's expense, 14.63
Fort Presse Co., pub. advertising, 14.46	Wm. Eggeman, assessor's expense, 14.63

SHOPS FORCED TO CLOSE.

Strike of Garment Workers at Philadelphia Effective.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 12.—Union leaders declared today that most of the men and boys' clothing shops in this city would be forced to close as the result of the strike of garment workers, which went into effect yesterday. More than 6,000 workers, according to the leaders, responded to the call immediately and more were expected to follow today. A number of the larger manufacturers denied these claims and stated that but few of their employees walked out. The demands include a reduction in working hours, increased wages and recognition of the union.

Fred Nicole, the Wabash shopman who lost his right hand yesterday morning as he fell at the side of a moving Wabash train, is doing nicely at the St. Joseph hospital and will recover. Mr. Nicole is fifty-two years old. He formerly worked at the Western Gas factory, going to the Wabash two months ago.

LUNCH ROOM FIGHT MEANS SEVEN YEARS

Tom Bailey, Negro, Must Go
Back to Prison for
Long Term.

An over-cooked hamburger steak will cost Tom Bailey, 26, negro, seven years of liberty.

He must go back to the state penitentiary to serve a long term because he became incensed about his lunch, in a Lafayette street restaurant, Wednesday night, and attacked John Burton, waiter in the place. Testimony in the trial of Bailey in police court Thursday and on Friday morning brought out that he had cut Burton across the back with a knife or razor.

Bailey was convicted on a charge of larceny in a southern Indiana town nearly two years ago. He was sentenced to the state prison for a term of from one to eight years. He was paroled after he had been in the penitentiary little over a year.

When Bailey was released he came to Fort Wayne. He had been in no trouble until he made the assault on the fleeing John Burton Wednesday evening. Patrol Officer Nosman will come to Fort Wayne at once and return Bailey to the penitentiary to serve the remainder of his eight year term.

Prevented a Suicide.

George Kline, 17, from Detroit and who wished to go to St. Louis, climbed on the top of a fast Wabash passenger train Thursday night. The railroad detective saw Kline's form hugging the top of the coach just before the train started. Kline was removed.

"It was just like suicide," the detective told Judge Kerr when Kline was arraigned in police court on a train climbing charge. "He would have been frozen to death before the train was ten miles out of town."

"Such a night as Thursday night, I can't give you credit for anything but nerve. Better stay around town here till you earn enough money to travel inside the cars," Kerr told Kline. The lad was released.

Lost Dancing Man.

Charles Thompson, 25, of Chesterfield, was in because he lost his dancing man, a quaint wooden figure, with limbs joined to the body by wire and which dances at back of Thompson's fingers. Thompson is a victim of spinal meningitis and has a galloping gait to his walk. He has carried his dancing man over most of Indiana. He generally drops in on firemen's conventions and street fairs. He came to Fort Wayne to make some nicks but in some way lost his dancer. His uncanny conduct caused him to be confined in the county jail Thursday. He was released in police court from a littering charge and arrangements will be made to deport him to Chesterfield.

Other Police Court Cases.

Red Crawford, 40, was fined \$50 and sentenced to thirty days at the state farm on pleading guilty to a fourth charge of intoxication within the past ten months.

Other cases of public intoxication were: Jack Johnson, fined \$5; John Edwards, Tom Colbert and Charles Fuller, released; Tom Reilly will be tried on Saturday; Oscar Brown and Edward Ryan, released after pleading guilty to littering charges.

WHITE SLAVE CHARGE MAY COME ON DOCKET

Police Plan to Prosecute
Oscar Murphy Under
Mann Act.

First case of white slavery for Fort Wayne is being planned by police. Word has been received that Oscar Murphy was accompanied to this city by Esther Weverly, a girl who lived near Grand Rapids, Mich. The couple was taken from a rooming house on Harrison street by police one night last week.

Police Chief Lenz believes the case is a clear violation of the federal white slave law. Lenz will take the case up with T. J. Logan, deputy government commissioner, Friday afternoon.

If Logan concurs in the belief that the spirit of the Mann act has been disregarded by Murphy, he will call for a preliminary examination of the principals. The first arraignment would be before Logan in his office in the government building. Logan would bind Murphy over to Judge Anderson's court in Indianapolis if he felt that Murphy might be guilty of breaking the white slave law. Real trial of the case would be in Indianapolis.

Murphy is married and has two children, who are with his wife in a little Missouri town, police say they have learned. Murphy went to Michigan to work a year ago, word has come here. Esther Weverly, a slip of a girl and who has spent her life on the farm, was infatuated by winning ways of Murphy, ten years her senior, police say.

Girl Came With Him.

When Murphy came to Fort Wayne, to work, several weeks ago, the girl came with him, police claim. The couple were living together in a rooming house on Harrison street when police raided their room. The pair offered to plead guilty to a charge of fornication.

Judge Kerr ordered the case held open for a few days to allow investigation. In the meantime police have sent out letters to points where Murphy claimed to have friends. Startling answers to their inquiries were received Thursday night.

Case of Murphy and the girl was to have been decided in police court Friday morning. Judge Kerr ordered continuance until January 19. Both Miss Weverly and Murphy are held under heavy bond.

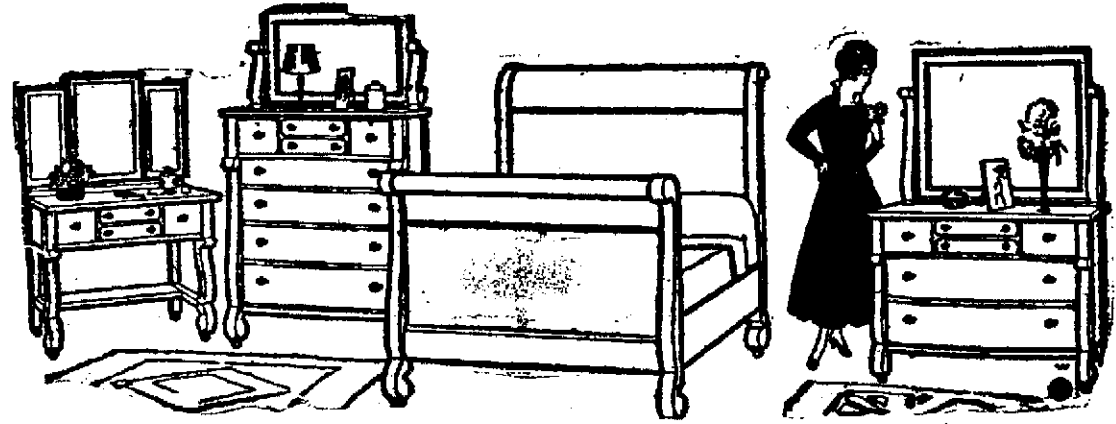
Police Chief Lenz expects to have action on the case at once. He will ask that Murphy be prosecuted to the limit. If Murphy is convicted in federal court he will receive a long penitentiary sentence.

"If this man is guilty, as we hear he is, there is no law too severe to punish him," Chief Lenz said.

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Red Tag Sale Reductions On Colonial Bed Room Furniture

Made Regardless of the General Increase in the Cost
of Furniture All Over the Country.



This Gives You An Accurate Idea of the "Colonial Style" in Bed Room Furniture.

Two-Piece Bed Room Suites-- Consisting of Bed and Dresser

\$28.00 Bed Room Suite, consisting of an All Oak and Plate Glass Dresser with Bed to match; Now **\$30.75**

\$49.00 Bed Room Suite, consisting of a Quartered Oak and Plate Glass Dresser with Bed to match; Now **\$38.75**

\$19.50 Bed Room Suite, consisting of Circassian Walnut and Plate Glass Dresser with Bed to match; Now **\$39.85**

\$72.00 Bed Room Suite, consisting of a Genuine Mahogany and Plate Glass Dresser with Bed to match; Now **\$57.75**

CHIFFONNIERS

\$15.75 Oak Chiffonier with plate glass mirror; Now **\$13.29**

\$17.75 Birch Mahogany Chiffonier with plate glass mirror; Now **\$14.75**

\$39.00 Circassian Walnut Chiffonier with plate glass mirror; Now **\$30.85**

Colonial Dressers

\$15.75 All Oak and Plate Glass Dresser; Now **\$12.85**

\$19.00 All Oak and Plate Glass Dresser; Now **\$14.95**

\$21.00 Birch Mahogany and Plate Glass Dresser; Now **\$15.75**

\$18.00 Oak and Plate Glass Princess Dresser; Now **\$14.45**

\$30.00 Circassian Walnut and Plate Glass Dresser; Now **\$24.75**

\$40.00 White Enamel and Plate Glass Dresser; Now **\$21.95**

\$22.50 Birch Mahogany and Plate Glass Princess Dresser; Now **\$16.45**

\$18.00 Oak and Plate Glass Princess Dresser; Now **\$14.45**

DRESSING TABLES

\$14.25 Oak Dressing Table; Now **\$10.95**

\$17.75 Quartered Oak Dressing Table; Now **\$13.45**

\$18.50 Mahogany Dressing Table; Now **\$15.95**

\$21.00 Bird's Eye Maple Dressing Table; Now **\$16.85**

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Remaining Lace Curtains at Less Than Half



\$1.75 Curtains, now, per pair.... 58c

\$2.00 Curtains, now, per pair.... 88c

\$2.50 Curtains, now, per pair.... 98c

\$3.75 Curtains, now, per pair.... \$1.38

\$4.25 Curtains, now, per pair.... \$1.90

\$5.50 Curtains, now, per pair.... \$3.48

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HOUSE FURNISHING CO.
112-114-116 EAST COLUMBIA ST.
Store only ONE SQUARE north and a
FEW FEET east from the TRANSFER CORNER.

Northern Indiana News Brevities

South Bend has an epidemic of typhoid fever, with twenty-eight cases reported. The city health department is unable to trace the source of the disease, water and milk being declared good.

The inheritance tax in the estate of the late Elizabeth Metzger, of Warsaw, has been fixed at \$125.21. The estate is valued at \$13,504.04.

Mary A. Coloway, aged 76, and a resident of Wayne township, Kosciusko county, has been adjudged insane in the court of Justice Henry Graham.

The advisory board of Washington township, Blackfoot county, has decided to build a new high school building at Roll.

George Thompson, of Hartford City, died Wednesday night in an Indianapolis hospital.

The taxes due Wells county from the C. B. & C. railroad, and which may be paid if the sale now pending is perfected, amounts to \$25,000. It has been suggested that if this money is paid it should be used in the construction of a county hospital.

Thomas Griffith, of Cayuga, Ind., an employee in the Clover Leaf bridge construction gang, was painfully injured near Ellettsburg, when some piling, which was being lifted into position, struck him on the right shoulder and on the back of the head.

The Spanish-American war veterans of Indiana will hold their annual meeting at Ellettsburg, May 9 and 10, and reunion of the 157th will be held there at the same time.

Judge S. E. Cook, of Huntington, has collected all the slow-fire and missing-link divorce cases on his docket, some of them filed years ago, and will ask that they be acted on or dismissed. Some of the parties have died, and others wish they were dead.

The Shoe Sale Every Woman Has Been Waiting For Lehman's Semi-Annual Clearance

BEGAN THIS MORNING

There are possibly more "broken lots" in the shoe business than any other line. Twice a year we clean out all these odd lots by reducing the price to cost and less.

This Year the Prices Are Amazingly
Low Considering the Leather Situation

Making the sale of utmost importance, for it includes every broken lot in stock, no matter how new the style, or how lately received. Note the prices.

Women's Shoes at \$2.45

Shoes that were formerly \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.00

Women's Novelty Shoes

Regularly priced at \$5.00 and \$6.00, now **\$5.45**

Regularly priced at \$7.50, now **\$4.95**

Regularly priced at \$6.00, now **\$3.45**

\$11.00 Grade Buck Shoes, now **\$7.85**

Women's Shoes at \$1.95

Shoes that were formerly \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00

Men's Shoes at \$2.85

Shoes that were formerly \$5.00 and \$6.00

Men's Shoes at \$3.15

Shoes that were formerly \$4.00 and \$4.50

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Learn How to Make the Newest

Sweaters, Kimonos, Scarfs, Baby Wear, Afghans, Indian Blankets With THE FLEISHER YARNS

Miss Currier is here to teach you anything you wish to know about knitting and crocheting and to explain to you why garments made of these yarns are so soft and warm, shape-retaining and durable. We know that you will agree with us that THE FLEISHER YARNS are worthy of your finest skill.

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All the Dresses Greatly Reduced

LOT 1—Fine French Serge Dresses, \$5.95—Dresses just received and were offered at the special prices of \$9.95 and \$10.95.
 Lot 2—New Serge Dresses at \$9.95—A fine assortment and all good styles. Dresses that recently sold at \$14.95.
 Lot 3—\$22.50 Serge Dresses at \$13.95.
 Lot 4—Silk Dresses; Choice, \$8.85—Beauties, every one of them; many among them sold as high as \$16.75.
 Lot 5—Silk and Velvet Dresses at \$14.95—Rich costumes—velvet, crepe de chine, crepe meteor and taffetas; new colors; values up to \$29.50.
 Lot 6—Evening Dresses at \$7.95—These Dresses are slightly soiled from window display, but still fine garments, that sold as high as \$15.95.
 All Other Evening Dresses at Greatly Reduced Prices.



Go Where the
Crowds Go!

Off With a Rush—Full of Vim and Vigor—Tepper's Semi-Annual Clearance Sale

THE GREATEST SALE EVENT OF THE YEAR

The Year 1917 Will Bring No Greater Value-giving Sale Than This Remarkable Out-Clearing

This is a Sale unique in the mercantile history of Fort Wayne. It is a Clearance Sale in the best sense of the meaning of Clearance Sale—an unparalleled Clearance of merchandise of the Highest Quality—at such low prices as set new record in economical purchasing. Thousands of eager buyers have placed their approval upon this sale by their unstinted patronage of the opening days—greater and greater grows the enthusiasm with each succeeding day. From far and near people are flocking to this wonderful event. Come today—Come tomorrow for your share of these savings.

\$1.50 Angora Cap and Scarf Sets, get this sure, sale price 98c

Fine Assortment Ladies' Neckwear values up to 35c; choice 19c

Newest in Ladies' Neckwear values up to 75c; choice 35c

Large Selection of Ladies' Neckwear values up to \$1.00; sale price 69c

The Very Finest Ladies' Neckwear including sets; 1.50 values; choice 98c

Up to 75c Values in Fancy Jewelry fine assortment; choice 39c

Ladies' \$1.25 Crepe Gowns dainty patterns; choice 98c

Regular 50c White Silk Gloves double finger tips; pair 39c

Made Up Samples, Royal Society Dresses hand embroidered; 20 per cent. discount.

Entire Stock of Fur Trimmings at HALF PRICE.

Mercerized Table Damask regular 50c quality; sale price, yard 45c

5c Hemmed Barber Towels; dozen 49c

Regular 35c Gingham Aprons extra full; blue only; sale price 29c

27 Inches Wide, 20c Colored Poplins all colors and white; yard 12 1/2c

Up to 39c Values White Pique wide and narrow wale; 1 to 10 yard lengths; special, yard at 18c

10c-Yard Wide Colored Percales light and dark; yard 10c

25c Madras, 37 Inches Wide white grounds; shirting designs; special yard at 19c

Regular \$1.00 Muslim Gowns soiled from display; close out at 79c

Regular 10c White Outing 27 inches wide; sale price, yard at 6c

No Goods On Approval—No C. O. D.'s—None Exchanged—Cash Only.

Here is News for Thrifty Minded Women--the Garment Sections Speak

An Out-Clearing that Seems Hardly Possible of Our Entire Stock of
NEW WINTER SUITS



Such sweeping reductions will crowd the Garment Section with eager buyers just for these Suits. Every favored style, every fashionable fabric and every color conceit is included in this out-clearing.

Suits at \$7.95

Nobby Suits of Serges and Poplins; colors, blue, brown and black; worth up to \$15.95.

Suits at \$10.95

Whipcords and Poplins, colors, blue, black, brown and green; worth up to \$22.50.

Suits at \$8.95

Just a few gabardine and heavy cheviots; green and blue only; values up to \$27.50.

Suits at \$14.95

All the new colors and fabrics. Fur trimmed and plain; a wonderful assortment.

Up to \$50 Suits to go at \$19.95

Of course, this is the best of all—only one suit of a kind in this group. Highest quality broadcloths, velours and gabardines. Get in quick.

The Greatest Corset Clearance of the Season

1 Lot Corsets—That run in value up to \$3.00—all good style and all standard makes—all sizes; choice \$1.49
 1 Lot Corsets—Full value up to \$4.00—many wonderful values to be found in these Corsets—best makes, too—at \$2.49
 1 Special Lot of Corsets—\$1.00 values; sale price 79c

Priced Unusually Low to Effect a Quick Clearance

THE NEW COAT

With still several months of winter weather ahead—embracing as this sale does, every coat in our stock and offering unlimited opportunity for selection makes them easily the greatest values of the season. Every latest model, all fabrics, and all favored colors are included.

Sport Coats, \$2.98

In all-wool materials, clever novelties, 38 inches in length. It would be a shame to tell the regular price.

Unusual Values In

Coats at \$7.95

Mostly novelties and plain colors; fabrics are cheviots, pebble cheviot and mixtures. Models with belts and large collars; that sold up to \$18.50.

Coats at \$5.95

Good coats in wool plush, zibelines, plaids and novelties; they sold at high as \$15.00.

Still Better—

Coats at \$9.50

A big assortment of novelties and tweeds, Yankee Belvins, Velours and Broadcloths, sizes from 16 to 56; blue, brown, green, mustard and black; values to \$24.50.



COATS FIT FOR A QUEEN AT \$12.95

Rich Wool Velours in all the new shades; large collars and velvet trimmed; also two-toned velours; values to \$27.50. Other fine coats priced at \$15.95, \$19.50, \$21.95 and \$24.95.

Unusual Clearance Savings

9c Apron Gingham—In neat checks; absolutely fast colors; Sale price, the yard 6c
 Toile du Nord Gingham—New colors and patterns; sold now all over at 15c; Sale price, the yard 12 1/2c
 Imperial Chambrays—In an excellent assortment of desirable colors; Sale price, the yard 15c
 12 1/2c Percales—In a wide range of fine patterns and colors; Sale price, the yard 10c
 Genuine Galatea Cloth—Regular 25c quality; new colors and effects; Sale price, the yard now 19c
 Romper Cloth—This sturdy fabric in the sale at, the yard 15c
 Regular 15c Shirting Madras—In the newest stripe effects; Sale price, the yard 15c
 Comforter Challies—Of extra good quality and in the wanted patterns and colors; Sale price, the yard 12 1/2c
 Comforter Sateens—You'll search a long way to find better; sale price, the yard 21c
 32-inch White Stripe Madras—35c quality; very dainty; Sale price, the yard 21c
 30-inch Lawn Stripe Dimities—very special for the sale, the yard 12 1/2c
 25c Quality Plisse Crepe—Saves ironing and makes up so nicely; Sale price, the yard 21c

ALL PREVIOUSLY ADVERTISED PRICES STILL IN FORCE.

Women's \$1.50 Black Wool Vests

closing them out at 98c

Women's \$1.50 All Wool Pants

red, grey and cream 98c

LINENS

at

SALE PRICES

SAVE \$3 to \$5

On

CHILDREN'S COATS

20% DISCOUNT

On

BATH ROBES AND KIMONOS

\$1.25 Washable Cape

Kid Gloves

white, pearl, champagne; sale price; pair \$1.00

While It Lasts, 8 1/2c

27-Inch Outing

pink and blue checks; sale price, the yard 6c

A Mighty Clearance in Silks and Woolens

The Dress Goods Section In With Ample Savings
 Extra Special—2500 Yds. Brand New Shimmering

Black Silks

THOUSANDS OF YARDS OF OTHER FINE SILKS—CLEARANCE PRICES

50c Silk and Cotton Crepe de Chine; full 36 inches wide; Sale Price, the yard 36 1/2c
 75c Georgette Crepe; silk and cotton; 36 inches wide; Sale Price, the yard 59c
 50c Tussah Silks in the wanted stripes; 36 inches wide; Sale Price, the yard 35c
 50c Tub Silks, 32 inches wide; lovely stripes; Sale Price, the yard 37c
 75c Satin Striped Tub Silks; dainty effects; 32 inches wide; Sale Price, the yard 59c
 \$1.29 Striped Tub Silks; full yard wide; all in the sale at 98c
 \$1.29 Striped Tub Silks; yard wide, in a fine selection; Sale Price, the yard \$1.10
 \$1.00 Taffetas and Messalines in stripes and fancies; Sale Price, the yard 69c
 \$1.25 Taffetas and Messalines in stripe and plaid effects; Sale Price, the yard 98c
 \$1.39 values; Sale Price, the yard \$1.19
 \$1.75 values; Sale Price, the yard \$1.39
 \$1.98 and \$2.25 values, the yard \$1.69
 \$1.25 Messaline Silk; extra heavy; 27 inches wide; Sale Price, the yard 89c
 \$1.50 Messaline Silk; extra heavy; 36 inches wide; Sale Price, the yard \$1.25
 \$1.75 Society Satins; full yard wide; newest shades; Sale Price, the yard \$1.49
 \$2.25 Charmeuse Silk; full 40 inches wide; lovely shades; Sale Price, the yard \$1.69
 \$1.50 Chiffon Taffetas; 36 inches wide; wadded shades; Sale Price, the yard \$1.25
 \$1.75 values, at the yard \$1.50
 \$2.00 Gross de Londe; full yard wide; wanted colors; Sale Price, the yard \$1.69
 \$2.50 Pussy Willow Taffetas; 40 inches wide; newest shades; Sale Price, the yard \$1.89
 \$3.00 Silk Velvet; 18 inches wide and of excellent quality; Sale Price, the yard 89c
 \$3.39 Costume Velvets; 24 and 27 inches wide; in the sale at, the yard \$1.19
 \$3.75 Chiffon Velvets; yard wide but in black only; Sale Price, the yard \$2.75
 \$4.50 Chiffon Velvet; 40 inches wide; black only; Sale Price, the yard \$3.75
 \$1.75 values; Sale Price, the yard 87c
 \$1.25 Black Taffetas; 32 inches wide; extra quality; Sale Price, the yard 87c

WOOL DRESS GOODS AT WONDERFUL SAVINGS—READ! READ!

69c Storm Serges and Novelties; 36 inches wide; Sale Price, the yard 50c
 89c Storm Serges and Novelties; 36 inches wide; Sale Price, the yard 65c
 \$1.25 Black and White Checks; 46 inches wide; Sale Price, the yard \$1.10
 89c values; 40 inches wide; the yard 65c
 Dress Goods—up to \$1.25 the yard; 40 and 44 inches wide; Sale Price, the yard 98c
 \$1.50 Fine Dress Goods; 43 inches wide; all wanted fabrics; Sale Price, the yard \$1.19
 \$1.75 values, the yard \$1.49
 \$2.00 and \$2.25 Fine Coatings; 52 inches wide; all kinds; Sale Price, the yard \$1.59

Unusual Clearance Savings

27-inch Indian Linen—Very sheer and as white as snow; sale price, the yard 15c
 Persian Lawn—44 inches wide; of finest quality; good value; at, the yard 29c
 1/2p to \$1.00 Waists—Fine assortment voile and organdies; in the sale at, each 49c
 39c Tapestry Rugs—Room size, in a fine assortment of wanted designs and colorings, each \$15.00
 \$30.00 Wilton Velvet Rugs—Oriental and Floral designs; new color combinations; Sale price \$25.00
 \$50.00 Genuine Wilton Rugs—Rich designs and colors; Sale price, special, each \$33.50
 5c and 12c Swiss—In fancy patterns; sale price, the yard 12 1/2c
 6-inch Eern Scrims—Bordered; at the yard 10c
 New Marquiseses—Full standard; every and white; special, the yard 19c
 5c and 10c
 Finest Voiles—With borders; white only; Sale price, the yard 21c
 3c Colored Madras for Draping—sale price, the yard 25c
 Beautiful Lace Nets—White, ivory and ecru; priced special at 22 1/2c, 27c, 19c and
 special Qualities in Fillet Laces—As low as, yard 25c

ALL BLANKETS AT 10% OFF

OUR REGULAR LOW PRICE.

Women's Muffs

Drawers 35c values, but slightly soiled from display; special at 21c

12 1/2c Unbleached Sheetting

full 4 quarters wide; extra heavy; sale price, yard 94c 10-yard limit

Initial Pillow Cases

odd lots; worth up to 35c; broken initials; choice, each 19c

Dresser Scarfs; Hand Embroidered sluny lace trimmed; special at \$1.98

Dresser Scarfs; Hand Embroidered scalloped edge; very special at \$1.49

Beacon Bath Robe Flannels

in all the newest and popular designs and colors; sale price, yd. 26c

Kid Finish Cambric light tan color only; 5c value; the yard, only 4c

Ladies' and Men's Cambric Handchiefs

plaid hemmed; very special at 4 1/2c

Ladies' Silk Crepe de Chine

Handkerchiefs; new line just in; each 21c

Genuine Leather Hand Bags

and Strap Purses; new line; worth \$1.25; 93c

Boudoir Caps, Lovely Colors

dainty trims; sold up to 50; now 19c

Up to 35c Fancy Ribbons

checks and stripes; special sale price, yard at 19c

Jap Quilted Jacketts; Finest Silk

extra padded; regular at \$1.25; sale price 98c

Regular \$3.00 Silk Quilted Jacketts

with sleeves; special sale price at \$2.45

Silk Corset Covers

our regular 50c values, all in the sale; special, each at 49c

Our entire stock of Beautiful Electric Lamps, 25 per cent. discount.

Regular 5c R. M. C. Crochet Cotton

3 balls for 10c

\$1 Tam O'Shanter the newest thing; sale price at 79c

Children's 50c Knit Caps

of warmest yarns 39c

No Goods On Approval—No C. O. D.'s—None Exchanged—Cash Only.

Every Trimmed Hat Must Go Regardless of Former Markings



Hats	Hats	Hats
That sold up to \$4	That sold up to \$8	That sold up to \$14
49c	\$1.00	\$1.98

This collection is remarkable for its attractive shapes and favored trimmings. Chic Turbans and large Velvet Hats trimmed with fur and ornaments and various sorts of gold and silver lace hats fur and floral trimmed: exceptional qualities

\$1.98, \$1.00, 49c

GATES & COMPANY

SHOP AND RAILROAD NEWS

TWENTY PACEMAKERS GET \$250 EACH Bowser Company Distributes Over \$12,000 Among the 170 HUSTLERS.

Over \$12,000 were distributed among the members of the Pacemakers' club by S. F. Bowser & Company this morning. Of this sum, \$5,000 went to twenty men, because they had been pacemakers for five consecutive years, each receiving \$250. The remaining \$7,000 was distributed among 150 pacemakers, the amounts ranging from \$50 to \$125, according to the number of consecutive years the recipients had been pacemakers. One year man got \$50, the two year man \$75, the three year man \$100 and the four year man \$150. The salesmen who had been pacemakers five consecutive years and who received \$250 each were C. R. Eggleston, A. G. Hartigan, W. V. Crandall, R. S. Johnson, H. T. Purdy, D. W. Darden, W. N. Dealing, F. W. Devereaux, H. L. Lunn, E. F. Klotz, R. D. Leonard, R. O'Connell, J. W. McFrick, E. L. Milliron, P. H. Richardson, R. H. Sherlock, W. C. Smith, D. Ward, J. Ward and T. C. Potts.

Promotions and Changes.
General Manager S. B. Bechtel made some interesting announcements at the meeting this morning. D. M. Kagay, of Aurora, Ill., has been transferred to Fort Wayne and promoted to the office of advertising manager. He succeeds C. D. Wheeler, who resigned in October to take a position at Lima, O. Mr. Kagay will move here as soon as possible.

R. S. Colwell, of New York, whose men were the winners of the big loving cup, has been appointed western manager, with headquarters in Fort Wayne, succeeding E. J. Little, who resigned two months ago to take a position with the Wildwood Builders. Mr. Colwell, who has a family, will move to Fort Wayne as soon as he can make the necessary arrangements. Other changes are the transfer of A. D. Carriger from the Louisville to the Chicago district and the transfer of H. C. Storr, mid-western manager, with headquarters in Fort Wayne, to Harrisburg. No successor to Mr. Carriger at Louisville has been named.

The Last Day's Meeting.
The business and social gatherings today were of great interest and were possibly enjoyed more than on former days because of the better acquaintance between the pacemakers. The talks, which were made by E. J. Gallmeyer, J. P. O'Neil, D. A. Corey, W. G. Zart, Harvey Smith McGowan and S. F. Bowser, the latter making the closing address of the business sessions of the convention, were especially interesting and the social features were of unusual interest. One of these not on the printed program was a visit of the visiting ladies and the entertainment committee of the Bowser local ladies to the big shops. The ladies were greatly interested, many of

them getting their first view of the work of building Bowser oil tanks and pumps.
Reception and Banquet.
Interest now centers upon the doings at the Anthony tonight. The banquet to the visiting ladies and the Bowser ladies' entertainment committee will be held at 5:30 o'clock; the informal reception on the mezzanine floor at 7 o'clock, followed at 8 o'clock by the annual pacemakers' banquet in the big banquet room. Immediately at the close of the banquet, the pacemakers will begin to leave the city for their respective homes.

HOD CARRIERS' UNION Starts With a Membership of Over Thirty.

With a membership of thirty-five, preliminary organization of the Hod Carriers' union was effected last night. The temporary officers are: President, H. W. Harvey; vice president, J. A. Brown; recording secretary, H. Fries; financial secretary, M. Broek; at arms, Frank Spindler; guard, George Smith. The meeting was held in labor headquarters under the auspices of President J. C. Werlman, of the Barbers' union, one of the "five wives" in Fort Wayne labor union movements. The attendance was good and the interest great. Next Thursday there will be another meeting in labor headquarters, when more names will be added to the roll.

TOM HIBBINS IN HOSPITAL.

Thomas H. Hibbins, foreman of the roofing department of the Pennsylvania, is in the Lutheran hospital with a painful case of blood poisoning. Several days ago he had one of his hands cut on a sheet iron pipe and not considering the wound of any consequence, did not give it the attention necessary and infection was the result. He is doing well, it is said, and will soon leave the hospital. Mr. Hibbins has been employed as slate and tin roofer on the Western division of the Pennsylvania for over a third of a century and a good portion of that time he has been foreman of the department.

ADAM COLLIS BETTER.

A thorough examination developed the fact that Adam Collis did not break any bones when he fell down the elevator shaft in the Lau building Wednesday morning. His side was painfully bruised and "shaken up" when he landed on the shaft, but the surgeon says that the injury is not of a permanent character. Expressions of sympathy were heard on all sides in the Pennsylvania machine shop when it became known Mr. Collis was hurt. The old man worked in that shop many years and all the "boys" like him.

JUBILANT OVER VICTORY.

The result of the basketball game at St. Paul's hall last night between the Bowser and the Pennsylvania teams put the enthusiastic fans in a jubilant humor. They were not, it

appears, expecting such a decisive victory, though none would admit that there was a possibility of the Pennsylvania team being beaten. Manager C. W. Grosvenor found himself in the roll of hero this morning, so many were the congratulatory greetings showered upon him. "It was an unkind act to beat the Bowser on Pacemakers' week," he said, "but we couldn't just help it."

SECRETARY PERCEE RETURNS.

E. W. Perce, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., arrived here at 11 o'clock this morning. He attended a conference of Railroad Y. M. C. A. secretaries and other officers at New York last Monday and Tuesday and then made a tour of the big cities in the east, inspecting Y. M. C. A. buildings with a view of getting ideas for use in planning for the Y. M. C. A. to be erected on the site of Ilopo hospital.

MANY TO ATTEND CONVENTION.

Nearly every member of the Master Painters' association will attend the Indiana state association, which begins its annual gathering at Richmond next Tuesday, January 16. The local recently elected following officers: President, Clem Junke; vice president, F. W. Burns; secretary, William Tapp; treasurer, G. Haller; trustees, O. S. Jones, L. Brunner and W. Buckles.

INSPECTING WEST END LINE.

Supt. Otto Schroll, of the Pennsylvania, and some of his staff officers are out on the west end of the line on an inspection trip today. They have a special train and with Supt. Schroll are Division Engineer Guy Scott, Assistant Division Engineer H. T. Symphon, Trainmaster C. L. Hamilton, Master Carpenter D. C. Zook, Division Operator H. B. Reynolds and others.

M. KELLEHER BADLY HURT.

Machinist M. Kelleher, of the Pennsylvania round house, was out today for the first time since Monday. He has to use a cane. Mr. Kelleher fell off a scaffold while handling some superheater pipes and one of the pipes fell upon him, cutting a bad gash in his left thigh. He will be unable to work for several days.

TRAIN LOAD OF DOCTORS.

No. 29, the Pennsylvania's Broadway limited, westbound, will run in two sections tomorrow morning. The second section will carry a number of physicians and surgeons from the east en route to Chicago.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

D. Stout, recently from Ohio, took employment at the Pennsylvania power plant.
O. S. Adams, brass moulder at the Pennsylvania shops, is sick and off duty.

Joseph W. Guethe, a boilermaker's helper, has taken employment at the Pennsylvania shops.
General Yardmaster J. L. Gogarty, of the Vabashi, and his wife have been visiting at Decatur, Ill., their old home, for several days.

Dan Sprangler, a lineman at the Pennsylvania power plant, is taking a day or two off to look after some private business.

H. J. Beckman, of the machine shop, and C. O. Sweeney, of the airbrake room at the Pennsylvania shops, are sick and off duty.

L. E. Oates, machinist on the night gang at the Pennsylvania toolroom, has recovered from an illness which kept him from work several nights.

Mrs. B. R. Stanbury, wife of the Pennsylvania shopman, is quite sick at the family home, having been down eight days with the grip.

Chief Clerk W. L. Will, of the Pennsylvania motive power office, is in Pittsburgh on business for the company.

E. C. Tegtmeyer, H. A. Bovine, B. H. Parrish and F. Diggiovano are not at work in the Pennsylvania erecting shop this morning on account of sickness.

H. J. Broshear and O. B. Jones took jobs and George Ake resigned at the Pennsylvania machine shop this morning. Mr. Ake worked there only a week or two.

Mrs. H. L. Reed, wife of the chief clerk of the Nickel Plate round house and shops, is recovering from a severe illness. She was quite sick for several days.

Michael J. Krock, foreman of yard laborers at the Pennsylvania store department, sprained one of his ankles Wednesday and is off duty on that account. It was reported that he was sick.

Foreman F. C. Meyers, of the vice

department of the Pennsylvania shops, is short of help today, a number of his men being sick. Among the absentees are Machinists Karl Bahlinger, E. J. Kossman, Harry Creigh and L. J. Griffin.

Chief Clerk E. F. Stephen, of the Pennsylvania superintendent's office, is at his desk again, after a day's absence as the result of falling in a street car when going to the office yesterday morning. His ear and the left side of his head was injured and the wound caused sickness.

E. W. Mitchell, J. F. Bacheler and J. L. Bolay, painters at the Pennsylvania shops, are at Rome City fishing through the ice. It is said that an unusual number of fish are being caught, and particularly bass, at the lakes this winter.

Announcement of various roads that light lunches now are available to travelers in the day coaches of their passenger trains leads Service News, monthly publication devoted to the interests of the Nickel Plate, to come forth with a claim that the Nickel Plate was the rail pioneer in offering this class of service to patrons. These lunches have been popular on the Nickel Plate for a number of years.

IN THE CHURCHES VOTING AT Y. W. C. A. FOR NEW DIRECTORS

Balloting is Light at Early Hour Friday After- noon.

The polls at the Y. W. C. A. opened at 2:00 o'clock Friday morning and up until an early hour in the afternoon the voting was light in the election of new members to the board of directors of the association, but those in charge expected many more people to express their wishes late in the afternoon and in the evening. The polls will be open until 9 o'clock.

Nine candidates were nominated for seven vacancies. In former years the percentage of the membership which voted has been very small and the officers of the association expect it to be much larger this year.

The names of the candidates are Mrs. A. J. Vesey, a retiring officer; Mrs. F. J. Hayden, Mrs. A. H. Perfect and Mrs. Charles Gumpfer, candidates for re-election, and the following candidates for first term: Mrs. George Jacobs, Mrs. William McBride, Mrs. Harry Fletcher, Mrs. Jules Simon and Mrs. E. H. Underwood.

Reports from the "gym" classes indicate that that department is thriving under their direction of Miss Bill. Some new apparatus has been placed in the gym and there are many new registrations in the classes. Several affairs have been planned for this department which will be announced later.

YOUNG LADIES ENTERTAIN.

Give Reception for New Officers and Members.

A reception was given in the auditorium of the new Cathedral boys' school Thursday evening by the Young Ladies' sodality, in honor of the new officers and members. A great many people attended and the affair was pronounced a decided success.

At a luncheon which was served late in the evening, corsage bouquets were presented to each of the new officers. Rev. John R. Quinlan addressed those present, congratulating outgoing officers on splendid work done and wishing the new officers just as great success.

The new officers follow: Miss Esther Nolan, prefect; Miss Elizabeth Kneidel, assistant prefect; Miss Catherine Stubb, secretary; Miss Clara Schone, treasurer; Miss Katherine Cunningham and Miss Frances Rolap, collectors; Miss Alberta Jull and Miss Florence Delegrange, surlinists. In these offices they succeed Miss Anna Schneiders, Miss Florence Baker, Miss Irene Noll, Miss Marie Nolan, Mrs. Phil Kelly, nee Miss Isabel McDonald; Miss Alice Martin, Miss Margaret Leahy and Miss Grace Kelley.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

Elects Officers for Year in Meeting Thursday Night.

At a meeting of the Holy Name society of the Cathedral, officers for the year 1917 were elected. The meeting was held in the assembly room of the library hall and presided over by Rev. John R. Quinlan. Stephen Reed was elected to the presidency of the society and the other new officers are as follows: Dennis Gorman, vice president; Phillip Lordier, treasurer; Arthur Kelker, corresponding secretary; William Koester, financial secretary; James J. Hayes, Carl J. Weber, Frank X. Didier and John J. Woulfe, consultants; James B. Cahill, marshal; F. J. Laurent, assistant marshal; Prof. Francis MacVeigh, musical director; George Frienstein, sacristan; Louis Braun, sacristan; Julian Henry, banner bearer.

TALKS TO STUDENTS.

Professor Richey Addresses Members of Bible Class.

Members of the Baraca Bible class of the First M. E. church and their guests, totaling nearly one hundred people, enjoyed a banquet in the basement of the church Thursday evening. Prof. Lawrence Richey, professor of chemistry in the Van Wert High school, was the principal speaker, using as his subject, "Elements of Success."

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire in this manner to thank our friends and neighbors and especially Rev. E. Q. Laudeman and singers for their kindness and sympathy and beautiful floral offerings during the sickness and death of our beloved mother, Mrs. Caroline Haberkorn.

THE CHILDREN.

Let Meyer's Check Winter Ailments

Keystone Red Spruce Cough Balsam, 25c & 50c
Don't go on coughing all winter long when you can prevent it with Keystone Red Spruce Cough Balsam! It is a tried and proven remedy, and requires but a few doses to do the work. Meyer's recommend it and stand behind it.

Keystone Cold Tablets, 25c
This is also a tried and proven remedy. It knocks a cold out in short order. After a few uses it has a slightly laxative effect—just enough to do the work. It's worth a hundred times the cost to a person with a bad cold.

Maximum Hot Water Bottle, \$2.00
The largest selling bottle in the world. The price everywhere is \$2.00 each. Full two-quart capacity, guaranteed for two years.

Maxixe Cherries, 39c
A luscious cherry enclosed in a thick shell of chocolate. They literally melt in your mouth.

Martan Chocolates, 39c
A beautiful red box containing Maple and Vanilla Creams with Walnut, Filberts, Brazil Nuts, Peanuts and whole Roasted Almonds, chocolate covered.

Rexall Cold Cream, 25c
An antiseptic and healing cold cream, especially recommended for chapping and roughness of the skin caused by exposure.

Keystone Hand Lotion for Chapped Hands
Rough and chapped hands are so uncomfortable. And there is really no excuse for them—not when Keystone Hand Lotion heals them up so quickly and so thoroughly. The result of just a few applications is bound to make you a permanent user of this lotion. It comes in two sizes at—
15c and 25c

More for Your Money
Meyer Brothers Co.
Four Drug Stores
Get the Meyer Quality



GETS 90 YEAR SENTENCE.

White Youth in Arkansas Attacked a Negro Girl.

Ashdown, Ark., Jan. 12.—Fred Edwards, a white youth, of Texarkana, Ark., today is under sentence of ninety-nine years in state's prison for having attacked a negro girl. He was convicted in circuit court here yesterday.

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THE CHILDREN.

NEGRO BOY IS HANGED.

Georgia Executes Penalty for Attack on White Girl.

McDonough, Ga., Jan. 12.—Harry Sutton, 15-year-old negro, convicted of assaulting a 10-year-old white girl Dec. 3, was hanged here today.

New York is spending \$330,000,000 on subway construction.

Government crematory stations are to be found in all parts of Japan.

Notes of Knights of Columbus Lodge

On January 15 the worthy grand knight and staff of the Knights of Columbus will exemplify the first degree to a class of candidates. Considering the great interest

shown on the occasion of Rev. Father Noll's lecture on "Martin Luther" in November, arrangements have been made whereby members will have an opportunity of hearing one of his former assistants on the subject of "Martin Luther, Valid and Not Valid." This lecture will be given by Rev. George Moorman, pastor of the St. Louis church, Besancon, Ind., on Monday evening, Jan. 22.

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